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PROGRAM FOR WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY, SEPT. 10.

MONDAY—**Pearl White** in **"The Fatal Ring."** **A new serial** starts on this date, featuring the dare-devil beauty who made such a stunning hit in "Pearl of the Army," "The Adventures of Elaine," and "The Iron Claw." All splendid serials that have been shown in this theater. Pearl White begins this tremendous drama with a breath-taking episode right at the start. Begin it with the first episode and go right through. This night will always show one comedy also and the Pathe News.

TUESDAY—The lovable, excitable and fast-moving **George Beban**, Italian-American actor in one of his funniest comedy-dramas, **"The Cook of Canyon Camp."** Both funny and sentimental. Pearl White is repeated in "The Fatal Ring."

WEDNESDAY—**Vitagraph Pictures** will henceforth take the place of Fox films. Very entertaining, clean and refreshing comedy-drama, **"The Divorcee,"** starring **Mary Anderson.** Also **Vitagraph** comedy. Remember that **Vitagraphs** will appear every Wednesday night.

THURSDAY—**Gail Kane** and **Carl Blackwell** in the World film drama, **"On Dangerous Ground."** This is a very strong drama. Pathe News will show wild demonstration of joy over arrival of American troops in Paris, and other war pictures.

FRIDAY—**Viola Dana** in **"Lady Barnacle."** A story with plenty of humorous episodes. Burton Holmes travels show "An Oregon Niagara."

SATURDAY—**Jack Pickford** and **Louise Huff**, supported by **Theodore Roberts** in **"What Money Can't Buy."** One of the best films by these popular film leaders. Comedy, "The Rejuvenator."

CASH RETURNED FOR PURCHASES

Remarkable Interest is Displayed in Broadwell's "give-away" day, Resulting in a Large Number of People Receiving Cash Back for Their Purchases—Similar Scheme in October.

The twenty-third of August was the lucky day at the Broadwell store in the big advertising campaign which that store put on during the last thirty days. Every person who purchased goods on that day has received back the amount of the purchase in cash. The number of purchasers and the amounts will be seen in Broadwell's advertisement in this issue.

It was a unique plan, and caught the fancy of the people. While in a way it is an expensive form of advertising, Mr. Broadwell says that he increased his business for the month over forty per cent, making one of the biggest months of trading that the store has ever experienced. The publicity was carried on entirely through the columns of the Covina Argus.

The method of attracting trade is so popular with the Covina purchasers, Mr. Broadwell says that he will start the same scheme going again in the month of October. It is perfectly simple, straightforward and fair to everyone. The proprietor of the store picks out a certain trading day in the month. The date of this day is sealed in an envelope, and in this case, placed in the hands of the cashier of the First National bank. At the end of the thirty days the envelope is opened by the cashier, and all purchasers who traded on that day at the store receive the amount of their purchase back again in cash.

Membership Cards For Covina Chamber

"Meet me at the Los Angeles chamber—Room E."

[illegible] sent to all members of chambers of commerce in the state, and it has to do with the signing of a membership card. Jerome Reynolds, secretary of the Covina chamber is pushing the matter, and he hopes to get a number of the cards signed up this week, to start the season off right.

The idea is this—that if a member of the Covina chamber of commerce has paid his dues for the year of 1917, he is entitled to a membership card from the Los Angeles chamber of commerce, which is an introduction at all times and in all places in the state, wherever he may go.

It also gives him the privilege of using Room E. in the Los Angeles chamber of commerce building as a meeting place for himself and friends, for the meeting of committees from out of town, and for the checking of bundles free, and the many things which an out-of-town man would appreciate. When he visits another chamber of commerce he can show this card, and receive attention from the secretary of the local organization.

Secretary Reynolds wants to know right away from every Covina member whether he wants one of these cards—and everyone will want them. He has a number of cards on hand, and is ready to send them out to all who have paid the 1917 dues.

SUNDAY EVENING UNION SERVICE—SCHOOL RALLY

So successful was last year's experiment of having a school rally the Sunday evening before the opening of the city schools, that this year all the churches will join in a big educational mass meeting at the high school auditorium, at which the new president of Occidental College, Dr. Evans, lately of Ripon College, Wisconsin, will speak, as will Superintendent Dr. Gowen, and Miss Eva D. Edwards, principal of the grade schools. It is the hope that the parents of every school boy or girl in the Covina district will come out to help start the school year with a keen enthusiasm and fresh interest. Dr. Evans, recently from the east, will bring the latest appeal of internationalism to education, while Dr. Gowen and Miss Edwards will voice the greetings of the local schools for the patrons and students.

There will be special music and the expectation is that the rally will be even more successful than that of last year.

Miss Ethel McNelley, bookkeeper in the San Gabriel Valley Milling Company, has returned from a vacation spent with friends and relatives in Idaho.

Miss Margery Clarke will be the guest of Miss Marie Nelson at Ocean Park over the week-end.

IMPORTANT ITEMS YOU SHOULD HEED

The Covina stores will be open all day on the coming Monday, which is Admission Day.

Schools of Covina open Tuesday of next week. A large increase in the number of scholars is reported.

A representative from every club, civic organization, fraternal society and church is to be sent tonight to confer with the members of the Covina city board of trustees at the rooms on Citrus avenue. These representatives will plan for a big carnival and celebration of the completion of the municipal water system, to place on Saturday, October 6. The meeting tonight is an important one.

One of the first conscripted men to reach American Lake this week will be Earl Philleo, a Covina high school graduate. Others will go forward within a few days.

Don't forget the Masonic home dedication tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

COOKING BY WIRE INTERESTS WOMEN

Demonstrations in cooking with electric stoves have been held this week with remarkable interest displayed. The lessons have been given in one of the new, vacant stores in the Finch block on Citrus avenue, conducted by Chef Wyman, acting for the Southern California Edison Company.

The electric ranges have drawn women like a magnet, because they are very clean and effective. Chef Wyman has been showing that the "cook by wire" plan is very economical also, and that it conserves the nutriment in the food.

The cooking lessons started on Tuesday of this week and will continue this afternoon and tomorrow. The lessons begin at 2:30 o'clock. All housewives are welcomed and personally instructed.

Covina Merchant Drives To Northern Points

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Broadwell and family have just returned from an automobile trip to Monterey bay in the Santa Cruz country and to San Francisco and points around the bay. The trip was made in Mr. Broadwell's new car, a Willis-Knight Overland, and the proprietor of Covina's big dry-goods store says that the car behaved very satisfactorily on the trip.

While the family enjoyed the many historic and scenic places of the northern part of the state, Mr. Broadwell also took occasion to visit many small towns through the north, where he talked with merchants. He says that business is exceptionally good all over the state. There is a feeling of optimism, in spite of the unsettled conditions caused by the war.

W. C. T. U. HELD SPLENDID MEETING LAST FRIDAY

The splendid war relief work being done by the Southern California W. C. T. U. was told most interestingly by Mrs. Hattie C. Young, of Long Beach, at the meeting of the local white ribboners last Friday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. Mary M. Coman. Hoping to average a comfort kit per member, the women of the organization are busily working and already nearly fifteen hundred have been completed and turned over to the army and navy officials for distribution, although some local unions like the Covina organization, have made special bags or kits for their own boys. At last week's meeting several letters were read from Covina soldiers whose kits had been sent them, and if there had been the slightest question ever as to the need and usefulness of the bags, these letters would have fully answered the queries, since they expressed the highest appreciation.

The next meeting will be next week Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. D. F. Stafford, Center street, from 2:30 to 5 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Worrel, better known as Grandpa and Grandma Worrel, fromerly of this place, but now of Lindsay, California, are visiting their son, E. W. Worrel and family. They are hoping to regain their health, as she is suffering from a cancer and he is just recovering from a very bad case of blood-poisoning in his hand. They will be glad to meet any of their old friends.

RAYMOND VINCENT DIES SUDDENLY

Well Known Young Man Who had Lived Here Since Early Covina Days, Succumbs Following Hemorrhage—Had Many Friends Throughout Valley—Funeral Today at Baptist Church.

After a lingering illness, from which he had suffered for a considerable length of time, Raymond Vincent, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Vincent of this valley, passed away quite suddenly on Wednesday night of this week, death occurring at the home of his parents. He was 35 years old.

Ray Vincent was one of the best-known young men of the valley, having lived here since he was four years old, which practically is a period during which all the development in the Covina valley has been accomplished. He was born in Bristol, Kenosha county, Wisconsin, on July 18, 1882. He lived in Nebraska with his parents for four years, after which he came here when Mr. and Mrs. Vincent moved to the San Gabriel valley.

During his life here, Ray Vincent made many close friends, for he was a young man of splendid spirit, and of a fine and friendly disposition. His death has come as a distinct shock to many young men in the valley, who counted him as one of their best friends.

He was a bookkeeper and expert accountant for a number of years for Ruddock-Trench in Los Angeles, and was also at one time in a responsible position with the Santa Fe company.

On Wednesday night he was at home with his parents, and had stated that he had been feeling unusually well during the past few days. But he was suddenly taken with a hemorrhage while sitting on the porch, and death came within a very short time. The funeral will be held this afternoon (Friday) at 2 o'clock at the First Baptist church, to which all friends are invited. Burial will be in Oakdale cemetery.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Applegarth, a girl, September 2nd.

To Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Burt, a boy, September 4th.

AZUSA GROWERS GET THREE MILLIONS

District Exchange Which Includes large Part of Fruit Contiguous to Covina Returns Forty Per Cent More Net Money This Year than Last—Meeting is Refutation of Calamity Howlers.

While some of the ranchers and business men are trying to raise a calamity howl about the condition of things in the valley, the A. C. G. Fruit Exchange of this valley comes forward with a knockout blow to the effect that the exchange for that district has returned three million large round dollars to the growers during the past year.

This is an increase in net returns of forty per cent over last year, and last year was a fairly-normal season. The report of this exchange is no more remarkable than has come from all other citrus marketing organizations in this valley, except that it handles more fruit than others. The splendid returns have been shared by all portions of the valley.

In the A. C. G. exchange is a good deal of fruit that is contiguous to Covina, including acreage north, east and west of the city. The new board of directors elected this week has W. R. Powell of Azusa as president; J. T. Lindley, James Slauson, C. A. Griffith, W. A. Jones, W. C. Hendrick, all of Azusa; C. S. Whitcomb, E. E. Gard and C. E. Nickle, all of Glendora; M. Morgan and L. S. Porter of Lamanda Park; M. Rebhau and H. Hostetler of Irwindale; J. E. Laycook and R. A. Welch of Charter Oak; S. B. Miles of Duarte.

C. C. Hillis was chosen as district exchange manager for his ninth year.

FRUIT EXCHANGE TO SHIP CALIFORNIA VEGETABLES

"The Vegetable Growers' Union, Inc." is the name of a new organization that will ship vegetables this winter through the selling agencies of the California Fruit Growers' Exchange. The president is [illegible] secretary, Carl Crystal, manager, Fred R. Bright. It is to be a non-profit organization, and will ship all kinds of vegetables. The main office will be in Compton. Over 1000 cars of cauliflower have been contracted for.

Keep Your Kodak Busy!

"THE ARMY LIVES ON LETTERS," IS THE WAY THE BOYS AT THE FRONT PUT IT. AND WHEN THOSE LONGED FOR ENVELOPES WITH THE HOME TOWN POST MARK CONTAIN PICTURES OF THE HOME FOLKS AND DOINGS, THEY GO FAR TOWARD MAKING LIGHTER HEARTS AND HAPPIER FACES.

KEEP YOUR KODAK BUSY FOR THE SAKE OF THE BOYS IN THE TRENCHES, BOYS IN CAMP, AND ON SHIP BOARD. HELP KEEP TIGHT THE BONDS BETWEEN THE HOME AND THOSE WHO ARE FIGHTING FOR THAT HOME.

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10 lbs. Fruit Cane Sugar	$ .87
100 lbs. Fruit Cane Sugar	8.60
10 lbs. Beet Sugar	.85
100 lbs. Beet Sugar	8.40
Mason Fruit Jars, quarts	.73
Hydro-Pura, 25c size	.15
1 quart Orange Honey	.44
1 pint Orange Honey	.24
50 lb. sack Gold Seal Flour	3.12
25 lb. sack Gold Seal Flour	1.60
30 lb. box Fresh Tomatoes	.30

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Exchange 43 **Ax Billy Store** Covina, Cal.

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COVINA KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS WIN SILVER LOVING CUP AT FIELD MEET

HIGHEST PER CAPITA ATTENDANCE LANDS PRIZE AT ALL-DAY AND EVENING JOLLIFICATION OF FOLLOWERS OF DAMON AND PYTHIAS—MRS. WILL EDGETT CAPTURES BALL-THROWING PRIZE—LOCAL LODGE IS STRONG FINANCIALLY AND IN MEMBERSHIP AND IS PLANNING BIG YEAR OF PROGRESS.

Showing that the Covina lodge is one of the strongest and most enthusiastic of any of the lodges of Southern California, the members of this organization went in force to Monrovia to the Knights of Pythias field meet on Monday, and captured the handsome silver loving cup offered for the largest per capita representation at the affair.

The splendid cup will be inscribed with the date and the event, and will be exhibited in some window of a Covina merchant as soon as it is received. The membership is jubilant over the showing they made, because it means that the Knights of Pythias in Covina are the livest bunch in Southern California among the many lodges, and that the campaign for membership to be put on this fall will meet with even better success than was the case last year. The lodge is healthy, financially prosperous and strong in membership. Chancellor Commander C. O. Glover, who was ex-officio member of all the committees making arrangements for the field meet, is very much pleased with the splendid showing made by his lodge. The local committee assisting him was composed of Henry Brandon, James Meade, George Maxfield and George O'Malley.

Covina also captured the prize in the ball-throwing contest for ladies, this coveted prize being awarded to Mrs. Willis Edgett, in competition with twelve ladies of Southern California. The local lodge now has to its credit the winning of a membership attendance contest recently at Long Beach and at Anaheim, and the third and important winning of the silver cup at Monrovia.

The Los Angeles Examiner of Tuesday morning, said:

With the flare of colored lights and the blare of two bands the sixth annual Knights of Pythias celebration, at Monrovia last night, culminated in a glorious confetti battle and street dance in which nearly 8000 persons participated. All Monrovia gave the entire day over to the Knights, who centered their program in Library Park.

Thirty-five Southern California lodges were represented while delegations from organizations from Maine to Washington were in attendance.

To O. B. Graves, chairman of the executive committee of the Pythian Congress, and supervisor of the picnic, goes recognition for an outing to which were attracted the flower of the order. Two military organizations, Companies Six and Twenty-five, competed before Colonel Ralph Granger of San Diego, while officers of the California National Guard, stationed in a mobilization camp passed on the merits of the uniform rank Knights.

Company Six of San Diego won the approbation of the judges. Los Angeles' company, commanded by Captain Lester E. Manor, gained a marking of 78 per cent while the San Diegans were accorded a rating of 87.

With Chairman Graves on the "firing line," welcoming the Pythians were H. H. Crawford, S. P. Ambrose, J. W. Baker, S. Van Amburg, D. M. Cederstrom, H. A. Sheppard and Benjamin Bogardus.

Monrovia took on the aspect of a fete city early in the day. Its streets were lined with patriotic bunting, and a band stand was ready for the D. O. K. K. band.

No amusement to entertain the throngs was overlooked. There was a baseball game in the morning, a tennis tournament, tug-o'-war and track events for fat men, thin men and "just men" the married women "dashed" for divers prizes, while the single women held competitions; peanut, potato, three-legged and egg races were run, and following the competitive drill, with its attendant patriotic significance, came the baby show.

Baby Mary Elizabeth Atlee of Los geles won first place for children under 3 years, while Fannie Mabel Hunt, also of this city, took second prize. A horseshoe-throwing match, wheelbarrow and sack races and long-distance contests were held.

Two loving cups were offered to the lodge having the largest percentage of membership entered and the greatest delegation of women in attendance.

Two attractive girls, Miss Theodora ("Teddy") Kelley and Miss Billie Lyons, enacted the roles of Miss Pythia and Miss Monrovia, respectively, at the fete. They also won the watermelon eating "drive."

The street dance and confetti shower in the evening was the finale of the day's festivities.

Many Southern California lodges supported booths, which gleaned appreciable sums for sustaining the bureau of relief work and the Pythian congress.

Those who served in official capacities were: E. L. Oker, president, and H. A. Sheppard, secretary, Pythian congress; O. B. Graves, chairman, S. Van Amburg, J. W. Baker, A. W. Henrikus, executive committeemen; C. P. Johnson, registrar and prize custodian; A. W. Henrikus, transportation chief; C. C. Barlow, announcer; J. D. O'Leary, C. P. Johnson and D. M. Cederstrom, music committee; Gem City Lodge, reception committee; S. P. Ambrose, prizes, and H. H. Crawford, refreshment manager.

Ben Bogardus of Monrovia and L. L. Meir of Hawthorne won the three-legged race for the fourth consecutive year.

Dr. C. C. Jarvis of La Brea won the fat men's race.

Dr. Samuel Cole of this city, a K. P. for forty-eight years, was given a prize as the oldest Pythian in Southern aCl-ifornia.

CAN FRUIT BY COLD PACK METHOD

By W. V. Cruess, Asst. Professor of Zymology in University of California.

WITHOUT SUGAR

Sugar is not necessary for the preservation of fruit. The University of California College of Agriculture, recommends the following methods:

Select fruit which is as ripe as possible so that it will have the maximum quantity of its own sugar. Prepare by pitting or peeling as the case requires and pack into jars or cans. Fill the jars or cans with boiling water. Sterilize the fruit as follows: Place the rubbers and caps on the jars loosely. Place a screen or other false bottom in a washboiler. Set the jars of fruit on this false bottom and add water to the washboiler to about one-half the height of the jars. If only a few jars are to be sterilized, a large pot may be used. Heat the water to boiling and keep at boiling for twenty minutes. Remove the jars or cans and seal at once. If the fruit is not sweet enough when it is opened for the table sugar may be added. The mixture of sugar and fruit is improved by a second cooking after the jars are opened. Many fruits, however, if picked when thoroughly ripe can be used without further sweetening.

WITH SUGAR

Prepare a syrup of one cup of sugar to three cups of water for ordinary canning purpose. If a preserve is to be made use one cup of sugar to one cup of water. Pack fruits in jars and fill with the hot syrup and sterilize as in the first method described above.

GREAT ACTIVITY AT LINDA VISTA CAMP

Prof. and Mrs. Groom Return From Visit with Commander of Great Camp of Pacific Division—Thousands of Men Preparing for More Thousands—Troops Will Be National Guard.

A part of the big army of American troops that will be in France before January is already in the cantonment at Linda Vista, according to Prof. Richard W. Groom of Covina, who returned yesterday from a trip with his wife by automobile to San Diego.

Prof. and Mrs. Groom are old friends of Major General Frederick Strong, who was recently appointed commander of this great camp of the Southwest. They were friends and associates with him in other days when Prof. Groom was teaching music in military schools.

Thousands of men are at work at the Linda Vista site, the Covina people say. Divisional camps are being made with permanent sanitation. The site is a commanding one, and healthy, situated in the desert country a few miles from San Diego.

It is to this camp that the California federalized National Guard troops will be moved shortly, including the Seventh regiment, now stationed at Arcadia, the Second at Sacramento, and the Fifth at San Francisco, with contingents of California field artillery, field hospital, and all troops that have been in service in the field since last April. With them will be the troops of all the states of the Pacific division, numbering over fifty thousand men in the first mobilization. The regiments will be made into the new divisions of 19,999 men each, with probably a consolidation of companies into 250 men each, with two captains, and four lieutenants, which is the formation to be used by the American army in European warfare.

Away with hot sweltering kitchens and unwelcome cooking hours! The Reliable "ANGLEIRON" settles the cool, comfortable problem for the housewife. See one of these stoves at the Gas Office.

Mrs. Emma Bushling of Normandie avenue, Los Angeles, mother of Mrs. Lulu A. Dietz of the Star theater, together with her grandson Frederick are visiting here for a few days with Mrs. Dietz.

VISIT THE BOYS IN TRAINING CAMPS

When taking your Sunday ride call on the boys at the training camp at San Pedro. Many of them are Covina boys that you know and are members of the 24th company, coast artillery. They would be mighty glad to see you. Take a bag of fruit or some home cooked food or a jar of jam or jelly.

Last Sunday a number of Covina people called at the camp and some of them witnessed an army wedding which was viewed by thousands of people. Among the local people were Dr. and Mrs. B. S. Gowen, whose son is a member of the 24th company; Roy Goodell and his father, Dr. J. C. Goodell of Pomona, formerly of Covina; Mr. and Mrs. George Scofield, parents of Sam and Ethan Scofield, members of the 24th company; Mr. and Mrs. E. Hutchinson of Center street. Their son Howard is also a soldier in kahki and has very recently been promoted to the rank of corporal.

Covina has a sargeant in the 24th company too. Gilbert Nigg, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Nigg of Center street, has this week been advanced from Corporal.

While you are there, the navy encampment is not far away and there are Covina boys there too.

BOOKS FOR THE BOY AT THE WAR CAMP

If you cannot fight at the front, you can send a book to the man you are sending to the front to do your fighting for you. The government has asked the American Library Association to assume responsibility for supplying the camps and cantonments with reading material. Every group of soldiers, small as well as large, is to have books. The public library in this city has been asked to get donations of books and magazines in Covina. These will be sent to the various camps and cantonments throughout the country and will be made available to the soldiers, either directly, or through the chaplains of the army, the Y. M. C. A., the Knights of Columbus, and every other welfare agency at work in the camps. If there is a Y. M. C. A. building, a Knights of Columbus building, a Masonic building, or any other building or tent whether it be manned by Catholics or Protestants, Jews or Gentiles, these books will be sent to them. The Library association itself is of course nonsectarian and it will co-operate harmoniously with all these other organizations.

If you will write in each book your name and address, the soldier who reads it will know that someone in Covina is his friend and stands ready to help him.

The following is suggested as to the books and magazines desired:

Poorly printed, uninteresting, obviously out-o-date books, are not worth shipping to the men. Type should be good and clear and the books in fair condition.

Books of good stories will be wanted most, books of adventure, sea stories, detective stories, historical novels and collections of short stories, especially humorous ones. Such authors as Kipling, Doyle, McCutcheon, O'Henry, Stockton, Brindloss, Tarkington, Hopkinson, Oppenheim, etc., have been found popular authors with men. Good poetry and drama can be utilized.

All the men must be helped by these libraries. Some of them have not established reading habits. Some of the books must therefore be light and easily read.

Foreign language study books, especially French grammar and dictionaries, are much needed—possibly more than any other non-fiction books. In one camp nearly one-fifth of the men are studying French. They should have easy readers and stories besides their text books.

Books of travel, biography and history, especially lives of heroes and travels in the countries at war.

Technical books on aviation, wireless, telegraphy, submarines, automobiles, signaling, first-aid and hygiene, drawing, and lettering.

Ethical books on patriotism, courage, good citizenship, with simple non-sectarian devotional books.

Fresh, attractive, magazines, are also desired—such as American, Century, Harper's, Everybody's, Popular Mechanics, Popular Science Monthly, Scientific American, Saturday Evening Post, etc. **None over two years old should be included.**

The material is needed at once. Why not select today the books which you are willing to give? Do not give worthless, unattractive books, but some of your good, fresh, interesting, and valuable ones.

Send the books and magazines to the public library between the hours of 1 p. m. and 9 p. m. upon any week day. If you cannot send the books and magazines, notify the librarian either by telephone or mail, and they will be called for. Phone 135.

The Queen Esther Circle of the Methodist church will meet at the home of the Misses Anderson on East School street, Friday of next week. The meeting will be held in the afternoon. The missionary program which has been planned will be given and a social hour enjoyed.

TWO SONS ARE DEAD —ONE LIES WOUNDED

Covina Woman Learns by Telegram that Third Son has Fallen on French Front—Deprived One by One of Her Sons, Bravely Says War Must Continue Until Democracy Reigns.

In a telegram from Ottawa this week, Mrs. A. Taylor, mother of A. Ronald Taylor, received word that her third son lies wounded in one of the hospitals on the French front. Two other sons have already given up their lives on the field of battle.

It is probable that few women in California have borne a heavier cross because of the war than this brave woman who has twice been called upon to suffer the mother's supreme sacrifice. She has not yet been informed whether the condition of her third son is serious, and will be obliged to wait for the slow mails to come that will give her additional information.

George Charles Taylor, aged thirty, died in action in Rhodesia, South Africa, in an engagement between the South African constabulary and the Germans. This was on the fourth of October of 1916, and on the twenty-third, word came from the western front that another son, Douglas Merwyn Taylor, aged 27, had been killed in action.

The third son, Leslie G. Taylor, enlisted in the Canadian battalion at Edmunton last year. He was wounded on August 21, and his condition is not known.

Mrs. Taylor is a typical Englishwoman in her loyalty to the war, and said this week that the sacrifice must go on until the enemies of England and democracies are beaten for all time to come.

PROGRAMS PROMISE UNUSUAL INTEREST

Plans for the coming year of the Monday Afternoon Club are about completed. The program committee, with Mrs. W. A. Jones as chairman, has been working steadily in an effort to make the year one of interest to all.

The club has been divided into numerous sections, a member of the whole being a member of each section. Unlike the programs of the past few years, the work is to be done almost entirely locally, these sections having charge of certain days during the month. Philanthropy will play a large part and that committee, Mrs. C. E. Crawford, chairman, will be allowed one meeting each month. The drama section, Mrs. David Watson, chairman, will also have one meeting each month and Mrs. G. D. Jennings in charge of the book reading section, is making plans for one meeting each month. The entertainment committee, Miss Helen Broadwell, chairman, will give four meetings during the year, and the civics committee, Mrs. C. W. Coman, chairman, will also have four meetings during the year. The music section has been divided into four subdivisions, Mrs. J. L. Matthews having charge of the months of October and November; Mrs. George Phillips, December and January; Mrs. B. S. Gowen, February and March, and Mrs. C. A. Templeton, April and May.

It is especially fitting that the women of the club should arrange programs with local talent as far as possible at this time when "economy" is the keynote of all things. The club has been spending considerable money on outside talent for programs in years past and it has been thought wise to save this money and use it where it is more needed. The chairmen of the committees have not entirely filled their programs and they are, all of them, glad of sugestions from any of the club members as to entertainment in their line of work.

COVINA NIGHT FOR BILLY SUNDAY, NEXT WEDNESDAY

Next Wednesday is Covina night at the Billy Sunday meeting. Those wishing to go to the meeting on that night will gather on College street, near Citrus, and be ready to start by 5:30. The committee of arrangement are Messrs. Bosworth, Manning, Hale, Pence, Martin Fesler, W. C. White, E. C. Thomason and Tom Johnson. Those having automobiles and desiring to accommodate those who have no means of transportation will notify the committee. Seats are reserved for 400 at the tabernacle. It will be necessary in order to benefit by the reservation to enter the tabernacle by 7:15.

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Dedication Services for New Masonic Home for Children Tomorrow

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COVINA MASONIC HOME

Erected at a cost of $138,000 for the purpose of housing and educating children of deceased Masonic brothers. There are about sixty children here at present. The buildings will accommodate two hundred. Grand Master Keesling and all grand officers of the state will assemble here tomorrow to dedicate the Home with impressive exercises.

All people of the valley, whether or not they may belong to Masonic organizations, are invited to the dedication services for the Masonic Home for Children, two miles east of Covina at 2:30 o'clock on Saturday afternoon of this week.

The services will be brief and impressive, and will be conducted by Grand Master Francis V. Keesling of the grand lodge of the state of California. Besides town and valley people an urgent invitation is extended to all visiting Masons who may be in this locality.

Addresses will be delivered by Grand Master Keesling, Judge William S. Wells of Oakland and Grand Auditor Robert Gaylord of Oakland. The grand chapter, the grand council and Knights Templar will also participate. A significant part of the program will be the appearance of the children of the Home in exercises and musical numbers.

Active Trustee E. B. Spencer, who has had charge of the construction of this group of buildings, has arranged for an inpsection of the buildings by the visitors. The Masonic board of directors will be assisted by the matrons and the children in taking the people through the rooms.

Erected at a cost of $138,000, this Masonic Home is one of the finest in the United States, and is built to acommodate at least two hundred children. It is surrounded by a large acreage, where the children will be taught agriculture and fruit-farming. The children attend school at Charter Oak and Covina, being a part of the Covina school system.

School Supplies. Covina Book Store.

Prof. Gowen Announces School Opening Plans

The high school, and all of the grammar schools of the district will open Tuesday, September 11.

If parents find that it is necessary to keep any of the boys out to work for awhile before they enter school, it is desired that the principal of the school that any boy would attend, be notified of the fact so that arrangements can be made to help those who are thus kept out to make up the work missed.

Trucks will run Tuesday as they were running at the close of last term, but about three-quarters of an hour later. After the first day they will run on schedule time.

There will be a teachers' meeting at the high school at ten o'clock Saturday, September 8, for all high school teachers.

On Monday at the same hour there will be a meeting for the teachers of all the grammar schools at the high school building; and at some other hour during the day the various principals will want to meet their teachers. Definite announcements in regard to these separate meetings will be made at the general teachers' meeting.

COVINA MEN TRAMPING HILLS FOR BUCK DEER

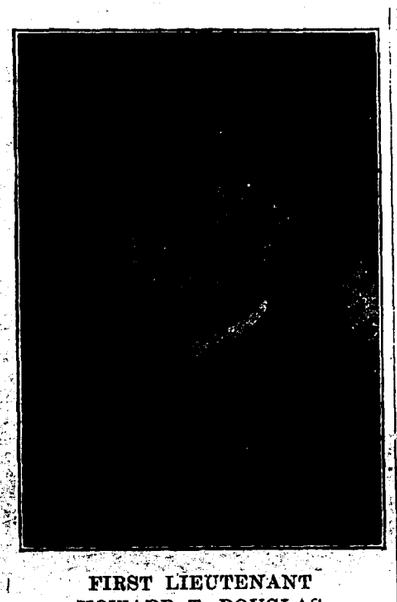
Harley Garrison got a good specimen of deer last Saturday in the Santa Monica mountains. Other Covina men are still out and havn't reported yet.

Garrison says the mountains are full of deer, but as is usually the case, the buck deer are scarce. One Covina man saw fourteen deer in one day, but could not get a shot.

For satisfaction economy in the use of gas and for joy in cooking, use a Reliable "ANGLEIRON" Gas Stove, the latest improvement in gas stovedom. For information, the Gas Company.

Cut flowers, ice cream, and cake for sale at Flower Show at Woman's Club House Sept. 14. 11

LIEUTENANT WRITES OF ACTIVITY AT AMERICAN LAKE, WASHINCTON



FIRST LIEUTENANT
HOWARD T. DOUGLAS

The following is a letter received from Lieutenant H. T. Douglas by his father, Summerfield Douglas:

Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash., August 31, 1917.

Dear Father:

Arrived in Tacoma the morning of August 29, and reported out to the camp that forenoon. We took an auto out from Tacoma about 13 miles. They have a regular service to the post.

All the officers were on hand, and it was very much in the nature of a big reunion. After registering at headquarters we were assigned to temporary quarters in some of the new cantonments.

This 70,000-acre reservation is certainly a big place, cut right out of the fir forest. The new barracks are built to accomodate 250 men, and that will mess here costs $1.00 per day, and is be the size of the new companies. Our fine. There are over 9,000 men working here on the camp, and the company has a contract to feed them, as well as the officers.

There is a tremendous amount of construction work going on here. The camp looks very much in the rough now, but another week will see a large part of it ready for occupancy. The officers will have small, individual rooms, and will mess together. The barracks are two-story affairs, and will be fitted with cots with springs and mattresses. Dining rooms are in the same buildings, with showers and washrooms adjoining. Good roads are being built everywhere through camp.

It will be a fine place for California men to train in. The lake is a fine place for bathing. Frank Gard and I were in the lake for a swim the afternoon that we reported.

There will be a number of officers from here who will be assigned to Missouri and Kansas National Guard regiments, and will join troops at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

The climate here is good. The weather is warm, but not oppressive, and the nights are fine. There is considerable dust just now, especially with so many trucks moving about. There is nothing for us to do just at present, so we have a good deal of time on our hands.

The first increment of the new army comes here September 5. They will be taken care of, and I believe that a first-class army will be turned out. It is going to be a great experience for all the men coming. There are 890 buildings here either being built or staked out.

First Lieut. Howard T. Douglas,
Camp Lewis, American Lake,
Washington.

TAHOE COUNTRY AND YOSEMITE

Dr. J. D. Reed in his big automobile, accompanied by his young son, James, and his son's chum, Eugene Ames, have just completed what the doctor calls a "bully" trip from south to north and back again. The boys learned a huge amount about the geography of their state, and about camping and fishing and other out-of-door sports.

Dr. Reed drove to San Francisco, camping every night by the wayside beneath convenient trees and in out-of-the-way canyons, where they spread their blankets and made their fire. They went to Sacramento and up along the Rubidoux river, arriving at the famous Lake Tahoe, where they spent several days at several resorts. They went over the big grade to Truckee, and Glen Brook, returning by Carson City, down the Carson valley to Mono Lake, and from here to the Yosemite valley. They spent four days in the famous valley, emerging by the way of the giant Sequoia forest park, to Raymond and Madera.

Dr. Reed says he can't remember enjoying a vacation any better than this one. They all came through in the pink of condition, including the big Hup.

COVINA D. A. R. WILL AID FRENCH ORPHANS

Covina chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will be one of the dominant organizations this year in the drive for funds for French orphans. Feeling their responsibility, as representatives of liberty soldiers of America's first great struggle, they are preparing to aid the Land of LaFayette, the French hero of the American revolution.

It costs $37.50 to keep a French orphan for a year, and Covina chapter will do this, if not more.

Besides taking care of orphans the society intends to be active in Red Cross work, and will do some knitting for the navy. Yesterday was Lafayette day throughout the United States, and the funds for French orphans began on that day. The local committee consists of Miss Lillian Douglass, Mrs. William Crook, Mrs. H. N. Webber, Miss Evangeline Griswold, and Mrs. L. F. Anderson of Azusa.

WEEKLY WAR PICTURES AT STAR THEATER

The famous Forty-First division of French troops, that has engaged in every great battle since the beginning of the war, was shown on Wednesday night at the Star theater in the reel of pictures prepared by the Hearst-Pathe news. These battle-scarred veterans who have come through the awful baptism of the battle of Vedun, and earlier battles are a wonderful type of seasoned soldier, and reminded one veteran of the Civil War of the soldiers that came back from America's great war.

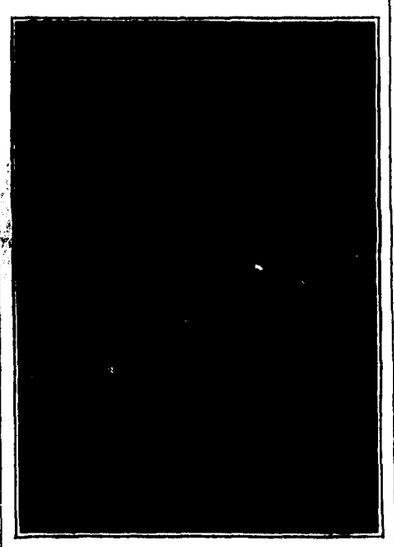
The Hearst-Pathe news also showed one of America's greatest battleships, leaving port on a secret mission, crowded to the guard-rails with white jackies. In spite of the necessity for strictest caution in making these pictures, in order that the enemy may not get hold of useful information, the pictures are intensely interesting, and each week, on Monday and Wednesday nights, show many scenes where Uncle Sam is preparing grimly and rapidly for the great struggle to come.

In time of peace we failed to prepare for war but now in wartime enonomy begins in the kitchen with an Eclipse Gas Range. See the Gas Company today.

Lieut. Wallace Reed With Twelfth Infantry

Lieutenant Wallace Reed, son of Dr. J. D. Reed, who has for some time been a practicing physician with his father in Covina, has been assigned to active work as surgeon in the 12th United States regular infantry, now stationed at the Presidio.

Lieutenant Reed is with one of the most famous regular contingents of the Pacific Coast, as it was this regiment that was first sent to the border at



FIRST LIEUTENANT
WALLACE A. REED

Nogales, Arizona, in the Taft administration, and which has been on duty steadily there until a few months ago, when it was assigned to garrison duty in San Francisco. It was this regiment that defeated the Villistas in a battle at Nogales three years ago, when sixty-five Mexicans were killed, a battle little known about, but which occurred above the town of Nogales. The regiment will undoubtedly be ordered into European service before long.

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Mother of Mrs. Adams Dies at Ranch Here

Mrs. Mary A. Hazen passed away Tuesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Guy Adams on Workman street. Funeral services will be held at Greeley, Colorado, her former residence, on Saturday of this week, and the services will be conducted by the Christian Science church. She was an active member of this church for more than thirty years.

Mrs. Hazen is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Adams and Mrs. A. F. Wrigley of Santa Monica. For some time she has been in a very low physical condition, and while the end came as a shock, it was not wholly unexpected. Mr. and Mrs. Adams left Wednesday, the remains being shipped by W. Q. Custer of Covina. After the funeral, they intend to return to Covina, where they will rest for several weeks on the ranch here.

AUTHORIZED NOTICE

On and after September 10th the barbers of Covina will charge the following prices:

Shave 20c
Hair cut 35c
Mustache trim..... 5c

All other prices remain the same.

The advance in these prices have been found necessary on account of the increased price of all barbers' supplies and materials and living expenses.

Hours daily: 7:30 a. m. to 7:30 p. m. Saturdays: 7:30 a. m. to 10 p. m.

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Earl Philleo Leaves for Camp Lewis, Washington

Earl Henry Philleo, Covina high school graduate and bank employe in the First National bank of Azusa, was the first man called from this portion of the valley to go with the first increment to Camp Lewis, American Lake, Washington, where he will plunge at once into the work of straightening out camp, for the arrival of more than 40,000 other recruits of the National Army. With him on the trip north will be Jerome King of Glendora. No other conscripted men will leave until further orders are received, which may be within a few days.

WOMAN'S CLUB WILL HOLD DAHLIA AND FLOWER EXHIBIT

A non-competitive dahlia exhibit will be given by the garden committee of the Monday Afternoon Club on the afternoon of September 14, Friday. Anyone that grows dahlias that they would like to exhibit, bring them to the club house in the morning of that day or notify Mrs. F. B. Gillett at 576 and they will be called for. Other flowers, aside from dahlias, will also be exhibited in a section by themselves, and if you have choice blooms of other flowers, bring them at the same time. There will be no admission and everyone is asked to exhibit and to attend. An interesting program will be given and everyone will be given a welcome.

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TELEPHONE NO. 3

EDITORIAL

WHAT WILL YOU TEACH WHEN SCHOOL OPENS?

Within ten days or so, the schools of the valley will open for the fall term, and the text-books will be opened to fashion the young and receptive brain in all that is accepted as education and knowledge.

But what text-book, unless written last week, can hope to shed true light on the history of the world, and what geography is valuable that draws the lines from any past more ancient than a month?

Even the languages of the world have been inconceivably enriched with words since this great war began. The tongues of the nations are speaking more and more in common, just as the aims and desires of the people of the world are drawing together.

The amusing stories of the fictionists of a century ago have come to be a fact. The fighters in the air on the western front of war have shattered all text-book theories of equilibrium; the calculations solemnly made by astronomers are in doubt, now that we have human knowledge of the densities and rarieties of air ten thousand feet above the earth. Even the fixed science of mathematics must travel on an antiquated vehicle if it does not take into consideration the calculations that have come out of the making of instruments with which to kill.

Philosophy as expressed by the great materialists, and which was growing in strength throughout the world, has been utterly discredited—found to be based on a fallacy that we now see to be absurd. Political economy, as taught hitherto, is now a farce. The languages which we have taught in rudimentary form in the past, must be mastered on a greater and almost all-embracing scale in the future, for the world has lessened its distances and tightened its affiliations.

What will the teachers in grammar and high school teach this year? If they are wise, they will gather the shattered, the dust-made, the pulverized knowledge of the world of the past, and will make a hillock of it, upon which to stand, and from the eminence, will speak from the mouth of the incredible things that have come to the world, of evolution by the sword, of change and decay as it is recorded on War's frightful seismograph, of nations in the making, and of nations passing forever into the decline from which no nation returns.

The school-teacher who stands before class this autumn, no matter if he be in the San Gabriel valley or in Mesopotamia, must, if truth is employed, look into the eyes of the young people confronting, and preface all statements with the one fundamental truth—"we do not know." Two and two will still make four when this great war shall be over, but the cherished things of higher mathematics must be purged of ignorance as we go deeper into the sea and higher into the air. The poetic fabric of the science called astronomy must come closer to the powerful telescope of human skepticism, and surely, the little philosophies of man playing ball with spiritualism and materialism, of earth and heaven, of God and man, will come to be known at least as pretension and not facts, of theroies, not knowledge.

There are more things in war than are dreamed of in our present philosophy. Knowledge through written history and geography and applied sciences and theoretical sciences is to be henceforth chiefly valuable as a refraction—a mirage which tells us that somewhere, the truth exists.

VERY LITTLE TO SAY—BUT SATISFIED

There has never been a time when the Covina valley was quieter and more prosperous than now.

The activities of the summer in a social way have been few, and the usual mid-summer somnolence has been more somnolent than ever, so far as public gatherings are concerned, but the people of the valley have all been working hard.

As the town and valley slowly and surely improve, the community, at the same time, dispenses more and more with the old-time "town-boosting," so called. Ten years ago, if this valley had been returning as much money as it is now, there would be public demonstrations, chamber of commerce attempts to advertise it abroad, and there would be a world of bunk written and said.

As the years go by, the valley settles up gradually with very substantial citizens. The old front entrance ballyhoo that all towns in Southern California, including Los Angeles, were wont to continuously keep going, has somehow subsided, and the noise of other days has been succeeded by the deeds of the present. We are better off without the blatant real estate man and the publicity artist who was trained as an advance agent for a circus. There are very few communities that are raising raucous cries these days, but the whole of Southern California goes right on improving steadily without the ballyhoo. There is a chance for argument as to whether the old Chamber of Commerce methods of Southern California did not impede its progress rather than stimulate it, just as there is chance for argument that the anti-saloon and temperance organizations are probably responsible for the hesitancy of the people to vote out of existence an obvious evil. People don't like to be driven. Thy like to think they have discovered things for themselves. And Southern California, if its professional boosters had been chloroformed early in its history, might be even more prosperous and populous today. It is certain, however, that this valley is more prosperous now and less inclined to advertise the fact than ever before in its history.

GET READY!

Covina is going to celebrate the completion of the new muncipal water system.

The program will be held all day and evening of Saturday, October 6.

The Covina fire department will put on a spectacular entertainment, with plenty of red blood and pep.

The Oddfellows will take advantage of the occasion to show the steady growth and healthy condition of three-link lodges, including Cantons, Encampment and Rebekahs.

The Knights of Pythias lodge has just won a silver loving cup a a token of how alive they are, and they will make things hum on that day.

The Covina lodge, F. & A. M., together with the Covina Masonic Home and Eastern Star, is to participate with a fine program.

The Monday Afternoon Club has signified its intention of making the day an unforgettable one.

Covina merchants are counted in, and Covina churches will feed and entertain crowds.

The Covina schools will furnish a program of sports.

There will be two band concerts and a program of vocal music.

Unless they are ordered into some other part of the country, we have assurance that the coast artillery will participate. The cities of Glendora and Azusa have been invited to join Covina in this celebration.

Every cent that is made in profits by any of the organizations will go into a soldier's mess fund.

Covina valley and Covina city are strong, growing and prosperous.

It is a sure prediction that there won't be a slacker in the whole city and valley in connection with this celebration.

We have a month to prepare. Let's make it big—the biggest thing we ever pulled off here.

HELP FOR BOYS IN CAMP

If you want to help win the war, you can do it by helping the government keep up the morale—as well as the morals—of the boys in the camps and cantonments scattered all over the country. You can help in furnishing them with reading material as suggested in this issue.

Give the boys good books in good condition, and write in each volume your name and address, so that each soldier who reads it will know he has a friend in this town.

Give them the latest and best of your magazines and periodicals. It will cheer up the fellow who reads them in camp to know there is somebody back here who is thinking of his needs.

Read the detailed directions and act on them!

Local News

Former West Covina School Teacher Marries

Among the guests at the recent marriage of Miss Ruby Johnson, formerly a teacher in the West Covina schools and well-known in this valley, to Mr. Jess Romines, were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Overholtzer. The wedding took place Wednesday evening, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. E. A. Johnson, at 417 East Benton Way, only the relatives and a few friends being present. The bride wore a beautiful gown of white charmeuse and a veil, caught with orange blossoms and was attended by Miss Pearl Domine of Long Beach. The best man was Jack Johnson, the bride's brother, and little Clinton Johnson was ring-bearer. The house was beautifully decorated with ferns and white carnations and the bridal party stood under a large bell of white carnations. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Romines left for San Diego, where they will spend a short honeymoon.

Thorpes Are Visiting at Canfield Ranch

Madame Ellen Beach Yaw was the principal musical attraction this week at the big "Bean Day" celebration at Oceanside. She is now visiting at the great Canfield ranch in San Diego county, of which her brother-in-law, Ben F. Thorpe, is manager. Mr. Thorpe was in Covina yesterday on a hurried business trip, and Mrs. Thorpe accompanied him back to the ranch to stay for a few days.

A week-end guest of Mrs. H. H. Cushman was Miss Olive Diffenderfer of Los Angeles.

Mrs. A. A. Davis and daughter, Miss Harriett Davis, were the guests Saturday evening at a dinner party given by friends in Los Angeles. Sunday and Monday they accompanied their friends to Ocean Park. While there they stayed at the King George Hotel.

A party of young people of the Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church enjoyed a moonlight hay ride and watermelon feast in the San Dimas wash near Gladstone avenue last Saturday evening. In the party were Mrs. Whitlock, Misses Gladys Coons, Crete King, Lilian Douglass, Ethel Fisher, Hilda Anderson, Mae Whitlock, Ruth Butler, Fleeta Bisbee, Ruth Doughty, Luella Roberts, Margaret Kaiser, Messrs. Henry Brown, Seth Colver, Elbert Fisher, Oscar Anderson, Oscar McKinney, Roy Blanchard, and Mr. and Mrs. William Colver.

The Sawyer School of Secretaries, Los Angeles, has issued scholarships to the Misses Marie Anderson and Marina Shultis. These young ladies are numbered among the select class of young people attending from this vicinity. The Sawyer School is the only school of its kind in Southern California for training private and social secretaries and affords a very exclusive environment of culture and refinement to its students while training along business lines.

Local churches and schools are taking advantage of the Gas Company's Gas Furnaces. If your churches and schools can be heated economically by Gas your own home would also be benefited.

Mrs. S. P. Brown spent several days at Alpine Tavern the first of the week.

Mrs. H. H. Isham, wife of H. H. Isham, proprietor of the Covina Department store, accompanied by her daughter, Carol, has been spending the week at Hermosa Beach. They are expected home on Saturday.

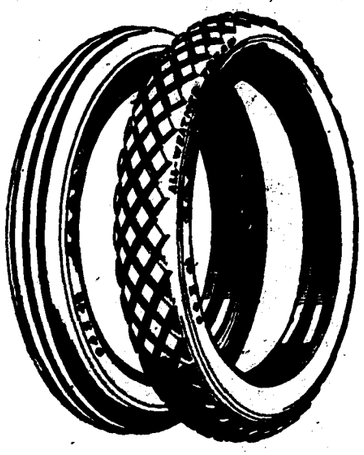
W. R. McIntosh, wife and three children of Avondale, Arizona, are guests at the home of Mrs. McIntosh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Raymond of East College street. Mr. McIntosh was formerly a hradware merchant of this city.

Granite ware at half price. We have on hand a well selected stock of granite-ware which we purchased with the San Dimas furniture stock. This ware we are now offering at half the present ruling price. This is a splendid opportunity to supply your wants in this line. Also numerous cheap cooking utensils. Covina Furniture Company. 1t

Miss Aura L. Fitch, Art teacher at the high school, spent a few days recently at Alpine Tavern, Mt. Lowe.

If your schools and churches believe in the economy of Gas Furnace heating, why not investigate it for your home. Let the Gas Company figure on your heating for this winter.

Mrs. W. A. Kohlmeier and daughter were the guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kohlmeier at the Westside Apartments in Los Angeles.



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Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Kerckhoff, with their two children, Phyllis and Frances, are now at Bear valley, where the Kerckhoff have a cottage.

George and Porter Kerckhoff left recently for Santa Clara, where they will attend the college during the coming school term.

Miss Mabel Van Vliet left Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Sydney Dyer, in Minot, North Dakota. She expects to spend a month in the east.

Mrs. Waldo Smith and four children are spending several days over the week-end at tent city, Redondo Beach.

J. S. Stevenson of Los Angeles was a guest Monday of Mr. and Mrs. William Stevenson of west Badillo street.

Mrs. George Van Vliet and children were guests Wednesday of Mrs. Woodruff in Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Smith and children of Hollywood and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith of Los Angeles were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. J. M. Smith at her home on San Bernardino road.

Mrs. Irvin Shupp, Jr., and her two children, Betty and Kenneth, returned Wednesday evening from a short sojourn at Long Beach.

The Fill-a-Gap class of the Baptist school will be entertained at the home of Miss Elsie Daniels with a social this evening (Friday) at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Sara Aichholz entertained friends from Los Angeles Sunday evening.

A guest of Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Catherwood Monday, was the latter's sister, Mrs. Sunbye of Pasadena.

Gilbert Nigg, who has recently been appointed a sargeant in the coast artillery stationed at San Pedro, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Nigg of east Center street Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Charles Ross, Herbert Casey and Earl Coolman returned this week from the Calabasas mountains, where they had been hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Miller, who have been spending the summer at Hermosa Beach, returned to their home here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Knutdson will be the dinner guests of friends in Long Beach Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Waterhouse of the George Junior Republic, Chino, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reed.

Miss Elise Kerchkoff, president of the Athletic Club, entertained the members of that society with a delightful affair at her home on east Puente street, Wednesday evening. Under the large oak trees on the grounds of the Kerchkoff home, chops were broiled and a delicious and appetizing picnic supper was served. After the repast the young people were taken into the house where the hours passed quickly with dancing and games. Those who spent a happy time were the Misses Dorothy Dorotha Cassel, Lucinda Beatty, Elizabeth Templeton, Imogene Arthur, Kathleen Traweek and Geneva McHann; Messrs. Prior, and Edson Letchworth, Carol Nye, Edmund Nash, Harold Nigg, Wesley Leighton, Harold Wilson and Norris Ashton.

A party of friends who motored over to Ganesha Park, Pomona, Thursday evening and enjoyed a picnic supper there were Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Groom, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Devendorf, Mr and Mrs. J. D. Fields, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Vinning, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones, Miss Watson and Mr. and Mrs. John F. Brock.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Hately entertained Tuesday evening with an elaborately appointed dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Kerckhoff on East Puente street. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Pierre E. Letchworth and sons, Edson and Pryor, Miss Kerckhoff, Miss Elise Kerckhoff, Mrs. Richmond Barney, Count Charles De Chranteney, Count Barkcofsy, and Mrs. Martha Webb.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

School Supplies. Covina Book Store.

Mr. John Brunjes, manager of the Glendora Citrus Association, brought his family home from Catalina Island last Tuesday. Mrs. Brunjes and the children have been spending the summer on the island and Mr. Brunjes has been spending the week-ends with them.

Tom Brunjes of the firm of Hays & Brunjes of this city, spent last Saturday, Sunday and Monday at Catalina. Reports are that the Labor Day crowd at the island this year was the largest in the history of the island. Many people spent the week-end including the holiday at the island, and others made a one-day trip. Five boats were brought into service to bring the crowd home from the island.

Miss Dorothy Bryan was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith of Hollywood and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Milner to visit Mr. Ralph Smith at the training camp at Loma Vista, near San Diego last Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Overholtzer and Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Aschenbrenner left last evening for the Lunde camp at Big Bear Lake, expecting to remain over Sunday. Herbert Lunde will return with them and make his home with his grandparents until his parents return from the camp.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beardsley and children and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Castello and little girl of Glendora attended the picnic and celebration for the drafted men given Tuesday evening in Ganesha Park, Pomona.

School Supplies. Covina Book Store.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Thompson and little daughter spent Sunday and Monday last at San Marcus and Oceanside.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Seeley are driving today to San Diego in their automobile, to spend a few days. They will visit their daughter, Miss Margaret Seeley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Baker, formerly of Covina, but lately of Lamore, Kings county, have returned to Covina to reside. Mr. Baker has been farming at Lamore but has rented his farm. At present they are residing with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Armel on Cienega street.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Paige left Tuesday evening for Fort Worth, Tex., where they have gone to visit Mr. Paige's son, Dr. Wendell H. Paige, who has recently joined the medical corps of the U. S. A. Dr. Paige has received his commission of First Lieutenant and been called into service. Mr. and Mrs. Paige will be away about three weeks, going by way of Grand Canyon of Arizona, and returning by way of Denver and Salt Lake City.

School Supplies. Covina Book Store.

Jack McCarthy, the fish man from Pomona, says that the oyster season is now in full swing, and that he will have them on his wagon from now on. 7-14

Your churches, schools, libraries and public buildings are equipped for burning Natural Gas in furnaces this winter. What arrangements have you made to meet the winter fuel bill?

The house-guest of Mrs. Nora M. Fisher is her mother-in-law, Mrs. E. A. Winchester of Sacramento. Mrs. Winchester will be in Covina for a month or six weeks.

A party of friends who picnicked at Ganesha Park, Pomona, Tuesday evening, were Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Walters, Mrs. J. C. Walters and daughter, Miss Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Goetz, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Fiest, of Covina, and Mr. and Mrs. Bloss and family and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Fiest of Pomona.

School Supplies. Covina Book Store

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Nye of Rowland avenue that their son, Wilbur, who is at present stationed at Allentown, Pennsylvania, with the Pasadena ambulance corps, will leave on or before September 15th for France. During his encampment young Nye has had the opportunity of visiting New York, Coney Island, Philadelphia, and Atlantic City.

Mr. William Lavayea, a prominent business man at El Centro, arrived this week with his family to make a brief visit with relatives at this point. Before returning, Mr. Lavayea will spend some time at the various beaches.

A celebration will be given the Past Matrons of the La Paloma, Eastern Star, on the evening of Tuesday, September 11. Initiatory work will be put on by a team composed of Past Matrons of this order. A general jollification and good time will follow this work.

Mrs. G. D. Jennings entertained with a delightful luncheon Tuesday at her home on east Badillo street. The affair was in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Gordon Douglas. Covers were laid for Mrs. Gordon Douglas, Mrs. E. E. Kaiser, Mrs. Martha Webb, Dr. Jennings, Carolyn Jennings and Mrs. Jennings.

The local home that installs a Gas Furnace is enjoying a heating fuel equivalent to coal at $8 a ton. But $8 coal is something we will never see. Install a Gas Furnace.

Mrs. Thomas Hardwick and children, who have been spending the summer with the former's mother, Mrs. Alice Burpee, at her ranch home on Rowland avenue, will return to their home in Arizona on Sunday.

Miss Edith Hull, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hull of West Center street, has accepted a position to teach in the grammar school at Kingman, Arizona. The schools open in that city on September 17th.

Miss William Goodrich, accompanied by Mrs. Walter Gilmore, drove to Monrovia Monday, where they attended the picnic of the Knights of Pythias.

School Supplies. Covina Book Store

E. P. Warner, secretary-manager of the grocery firm of Warner-Whitsel Co., has returned from a pleasant sojourn of a few days with his family at Manhattan Beach. Mrs. Warner, son and daughter, are expected home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Nay Thompson drove to San Marcus on Sunday to spend Labor day with relatives at that point. On the trip they visited Oceanside and other way points.

Mrs. W. P. Nye, accompanied by her two small children, spent last week in Pasadena, as the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. C. Olmstead. On Saturday they attended the Liberty parade in Los Angeles and heard the great Billy Sunday speak on Sunday

Rev. Charles T. Murphy, rector of Holy Trinity Church, accompanied by his wife has returned this week from a pleasant vacation spent at Newport Beach. Rev. Murphy will occupy the pulpit at Holy Trinity on Sunday morning as usual.

Mrs. Ada Jenks is spending the week at Santa Barbara, as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. R. M. Clarke, formerly of Covina.

Mr. and Mrs. George Aschenbrenner and family and Mrs. Glenn Harnish and family, motored to Balboa Saturday, where they spent a delightful day.

Mrs. William Griswold spent two days this week in Los Angeles as the guest of Mrs. W. E. McGorray.

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FALL OPENING OF LATEST IN MILLINERY

The latest designs in millinery are being received, many are ready for inspection at Miss Sara Reckard's Millinery Store. The Fall Opening will be held on Saturday, September 15, 1917, to which I most cordially invite all the ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Harnish left Wednesday evening on the Canadian Pacific for Illinois, going by way of San Francisco. They will stop over in Chicago and from there go to Mt. Carroll, Illinois, their old home. They expect to return the latter part of October.

Mrs. William Goodrich is visiting friends in Los Angeles this week.

Week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Gail were Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Ford of Glendale. Mr. R. D. Porter of Minneapolis was their guest on Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Fingerle are entertaining the former's aunt, Mrs. G. Fink, of Kingsburg, Californa, for two weeks.

H. F. Larkins of the firm of McClellan & Larkin Hardware, accompanied by his wife, spent Sunday and Monday at Catalina. They were delighted with their stay at this popular resort, taking in, during their brief sojourn, many of the attractive sights in and around the island.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sowle and daughter, Miss Lottie, have returned from two weeks at Catalina.

M. Leonhardt, president of the First National Bank of this city, with his wife and family, returned Saturday from two weks vacation at Venice.

Dr. F. J. Cline, local dentist, who with his wife and family have been spending the past two weeks at Newport Beach, returned home Saturday.

Cleaner, cheaper and more satisfactory in every respect is the verdict of those who are burning Natural Gas in their furnaces. The Gas Company will give you some startlingly low figures on Gas Furnace installations.

Mrs. S. L. Spencer entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. Daly of San Bernardino and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Coltrin and children at dinner last Sunday. The affair was given in honor of the birthday of Mr. Spencer.

Miss Dorothy Keyes of Denver arrived this week to make a short visit with her sister, Mrs. Grant Chapman.

Mrs. William Sprotte, Sr., entertained last Sunday with a dinner in honor of the birthday of her son, William, Jr. Covers were laid for Dr. and Mrs. Johnson of South Pasadena, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. William Sprotte, Jr., and Mr. Ed Sprotte of Covina.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Chapman and little son have returned from a month at Santa Monica.

Mrs. E. R. Barnes, who with her children has been visiting with relatives in Covina and Glendora for the past month, has returned to her home in Highlands.

Bids are called for for the painting of the high school building, according to specifications to be seen in the principal's office. 9-21

Mrs. Walter Humphrey of Los Angeles is guest this week of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hutchinson of Center street.

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Watch for Further Startling Announcements

BOYS' SCHOOL OUTFITS

Boys' suits, 2 pairs full lined pants, all wool material $7.45. Others $4.95 to $10.00.

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Big girls' shoes, $3.50, 4.00, 5.00 to 8.00.
We will show some wonderful ladies shoes for the coming fall.

BROADWELL

Epworth League Concert For Red Cross at Puente

MISS MARGARET MCKEE, WHISTL ER

The Epworth League of the Puente Methodist church, which has recently adopted the name of the "community church," has completed arrangements for the splendid concert program to be given in the auditorium of the Puente Union High School, tonight, Friday, September 7, for the benefit of the Red Cross.

The concert is assuredly to be one of the very best that has ever been given here, and this fact is based on the known ability of the talent that has been secured.

Miss Margaret McKee, "Queen of Whistlers," will be one of the star numbers. Few people can realize the beauty in music that can be expressed through the wonderful whistling of this girl. She was heard recently at the annual benefit concert given by the famous concert singer, Madame Ellen Beach Yaw at her homes on Cypress avenue in this valley, and with an out-of-door setting, perched in the branches of an electrically-lighted peach tree in the gardens, she imitated and improvised upon every bird-note that can be imagined. On the same program she whistled an exquisite obligato to Madame Yaw while the great concert singer sang one of her skylark songs.

Another feature will be Miss Grace Helen Adams, a girl of country-wide reputation as a cornetist. She has been travelling in concert for the past year, and has just returned to the Pacific Coast. Miss Adams was heard here several years ago, at a time when she was a guest of relatives.

Miss Leah McKee is known as "California's Little Favorite," a reader and impersonator of very striking quality. She is an able second on any program with her sister, and the two together are fast making an enviable reputation as entertainers.

Miss Violet Tucker and Lester Seib of Covina, are two young people who do not claim to be professionals, but who have been making people forget their troubles on many programs in the valley of late. Their stunts consist of songs, dances and dialogues, and the team-work of these two is a shadow-chaser that cannot be equalled among amateur performers. They are good. The enjoyment of hearing the other professionals will be added to by the laughter produced by these two.

The affair is being managed by George Paden, who has labored hard upon the arrangements, and has success already in his grasp. Every cent is to be donated to the Red Cross society, and as the expenses are small, the financial success is assured.

SAN GABRIEL VALLEY SELECTED MEN GIVEN GREAT OVATION AT POMONA

GREAT GREEK AMPHITHEATER IS OVERFLOWING WITH PEOPLE FROM SURROUNDING TOWNS TO DO HONOR TO MEN WHO ARE FIRST TO GO FORWARD IN NATIONAL ARMY—GOOD BANQUET SERVED THE MEN—JUDGE NEELY SPEAKS OF WAGING WAR FOR THE FREEDOM OF THE WORLD.

Elbow-room was at a premium in Ganesha park at Pomona on Tuesday night of this week, when the San Gabriel valley from El Monte to the east county line gathered to give a rousing farewell to the young men of the first unit of the National Army that will assemble this week and through the coming weeks at American Lake training camp at Washington. Under the guidance of the various public-spirited bodies of the valley, headed by the Pomona chamber of commerce and the city officials of Pomona, a great ovation was given the first valley quota.

Thousands of people gathered about the tables in the park, where the 150 men were seated. A splendid chicken supper was given the men while a band concert was in progress. After the banquet the men were seated in the center of the vast out-of-door amphitheater that is built in a huge gash in the hills, and here a program of patriotism was given that will long be remembered by the great crowd.

With a brief introduction by D. C. Crookshank, president of the Pomona chamber of commerce, and remarks by Mayor Vandegrift, the meeting was opened for music and speeches. The Pomona municipal band and the Glendora band rendered patriotic numbers.

Judge Neely of Pomona, a patriotic warhorse of the Civil war school of American patriotism, gave a ringing address as a rally to world freedom and the destruction forever of military autocracy. The judge has been a platform speaker for fifty years. He rehearsed the great epochs of the world—of the gradual freedom that came to the peoples of the earth through such measures as the magna charta, the bill of rights, the habeas corpus and the declaration of independence, and said that the last great blow to be struck is to be for the freedom of the peoples of all the world. In other struggles we had fought for our own freedom, he said, but in this great world-war, the principle is that of world-freedom.

He spoke solemnly to the drafted men of the fact that in the years to come their participation in the world-war would be the proudest epoch of their lives—that all things in their lives would date from the hour, this present hour, when they took up arms with America for the freedom of the world. He alluded to the Civil war veterans on the stage, saying that these men were a part of the most vital of American history, and to a greater extent would the men now going out be honored in the years to come.

The biggest part of the whole affair was the crowd—the immense crowd that filled the vast Greek theater, and overflowed the park and groves. The whole valley seemed to have turned out to do these men honor.

The Covina valley roll of honor at this affair included the following: Homer Wellington Wine, Sam C. Allison Russell S. Sutton, Charles Vincent Bristow, Lewis Albert Morgan, Grant C. Jeans, Cullen Motter, Jesse Clutterbuck, Ross B. Hurley, Earl Henry Philleo, Noah Eugene Bashore, Coner Elmer Rumley, Charles Momer McKee, Isom Oba Brittain, Harold R. Houser, Roland Glines, William Harrison Parks, Raymond Showwalter Brumbaugh, Roy Brown, Herman Henry Buehrens, Gustave R. Anderson, James Grant Leach.

READ HIAWATHA—LEARN TO LOVE ANIMALS

Also Ernest Seton Thompson's books should be read by young and old.

If we are followers of Christ, we must love poor, dumb animals—faithful innocent creatures—nothing really mean about them!

Why will people insist on "putting out poison" to kill their neighbors' pets? Invariably they catch the wrong dog or cat.

There is a law forbidding poisoning, but this sly and selfish individual seems to think he will not be caught and does not care if someone else is suspected and accused and put to much annoyance and hard feeling.

Two valuable pets have been lost by the same family recently—a Persian Maltese cat and an Airedale dog—neither was ever an annoyance in any way, so the real culprits were not caught.

Chickens (also eggs) and rabbits can all be easily protected from larger animals by houses and fences, etc. (We need lock and key to keep man out.) They need not be left out in the open to tempt our innocent pets.

If, with proper precaution, any damage is done, the owner (of a cat or dog) will pay for it and administer punishment.

In this day and age we should be far beyond "putting out poison."

Now this trouble did not occur in Covina (we are glad to say), but in a community close by. This underhanded, conscienceless fellow should be found out and driven out—we cannot live happily with such creatures in our midst. There must be an awful feeling toward everyone around, when not knowing whether they be friends or enemies. How can such a one dare to call himself a Christian? The same community loses lots more chickens by 2-legged thieves than dogs or cats have ever hurt. Punish man, who should know better, not the beasts whom man "leads into temptation."

A LOVER OF ANIMALS.

DREHER IS RETIRING FROM EXCHANGE

Veteran Manager of San Antonio Drganization Will Relinquish Work After Quarter Century—Splendid Showing of Pomona Growers—More than 50 Increase in Returns.

Pomona, Sept. 1—Holding a remarkable record of progress and prosperity for the citrus growers of the Pomona Valley, the annual report of P. J. Dreher, secretary and retiring manager of the San Antonio Fruit Exchange, the shipping agency for the citrus crop grown in Pomona, Walnut, Claremont and LaVerne, was read today before the Indian Hill Citrus Association at North Pomona. It shows that the crop has brought a total of $4,000,000 to the growers of the valley associations.

They show that this $4,000,000 is nearly 50 per cent greater than any previous year, that 2,000,000 boxes of fruit were shipped and that record prices were received.

The total operating cost of the San Antonio Exchange was $12,964.72, to which must be added special expenses such as expenditures for flood control and fire protection. These items bring the grand total of expenses to $17,522.95. The cost per box shipped is .667 for the operating expenses and .906 for the total expenses.

Co-operation is the keynote of the success of the California Fruit Growers' Exchange, of which the San Antonio Exchange is a part, says Mr. Dreher in his annual report.

"Stand shoulder to shoulder on true co-operation," says Mr. Dreher, "and your organizations and their prosperity are assured."

The annual report says, in part, shipments of navels for the season are 1,494,565 boxes, with $2,786,694.31 f. o. b. returns.

Our average on navels is $1.865 per box f. o. b. shipping point for all grades and sizes as against an average of $1.566 for all Washington navels shipped by this exchange for the past twenty-three years, during which time we shipped 11,634,200 boxes, with gross f. o. b. returns of $18,230,858.

Prof. and Mrs. J. J. Morgan started in their new car for Imperial City on Tuesday morning, with the tonneau loaded with household goods and personal belongings. They went by way of San Diego. Prof. Morgan will enter upon his second semester as superintendent of the Imperial high schools.

Harry Damerel, manager J. M. Riley ranch and fruit company, has been drawn on the September venire of the federal court.

See our line of gas plates before buying—lowest prices in town. McClellan & Larkin Hdw. 1t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 36314.

Estate of Lydia Ann Brumbaugh, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executor of the estate of Lydia Ann Brumbaugh, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executor at The Covina National Bank, which said office the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Lydia Ann Brumbaugh, deceased, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

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ALLEGED SLACKERS GIVEN CHANCE TO ENROLL

Fred J. Jacobs of Riverside and Geo. M. Ohis of Covina, alleged slackers, yesterday made up their minds that they did not care for a trial by jury on the charge.

Both men appeared in United States District Judge Trippet's court and thru their attorney agreed to present themselves for enlistment, if the government would give them the chance, stipulating that if they are not accepted they will present themselves to the court October 1, for the further disposition of the case.

This was agreed to by Assistant United States District Attorney Lawson, and both defendants were released on their own recognizance, so that they may have an opportunity to offer themselves as recruits.

NOTICE TO CITRUS GROWERS

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ASSESSMENT NOTICE

Columbia Land and Water Company, principal place of business, Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the directors, held on the fourth day of September, 1917, an assessment (No. 32) of $7.00 per share was levied upon the capital stock of the above-named corporation, payable immediately to the secretary, at the office of the company at Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 15th day of October, 1917, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 31st day of October, 1917, at 9 o'clock in the morning, at the office of the company in Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California, to pay delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising and expense of sale.

LUCY M. MATTHEWS, Secretary.
Covina, Cal., Sept. 4th, 1917.

This assessment to be applied on the drilling of a new well for said company.
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No. 36427.

NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

In the matter of the estate of Anna E. Garrett, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the petition of W. M. Griswold for the probate of will of Anna E. Garrett, deceased, and for the issuance of letters testamentary thereon to W. M. Griswold, will be heard at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 18th day of September, 1917, at the court room of Department 2 of the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, California.

Dated, August 27th, 1917.

H. J. LELANDE, Clerk.
By H. H. Doyle, Deputy Cerk.

GAIL, PENCE & GAIL,
9-14 Attorneys for petitioner.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 36205.

Estate of Avis Jane Morgan, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator, with will annexed, of the estate of Avis Jane Morgan, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of H. N. Wells, attorney for said administrator, 318 Security Building, Los Angeles, California, which said office the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Avis Jane Morgan, deceased in the County of Los Angeles, State of Californin.

Dated August 24th, 1917.

JESSE JOSIAH MORGAN.
H. N. WELLS, Attorney.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 36267.

Estate of Sarah J. Crenshaw, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Sarah J. Crenshaw, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the office of Thos. B. Reed, 1024 Trust & Savings Bldg., which said office the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Sarah J. Crenshaw, deceased, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Dated August 27th, 1917.

ROBERT CRENSHAW,
Administrator.

THOS. B. REED,
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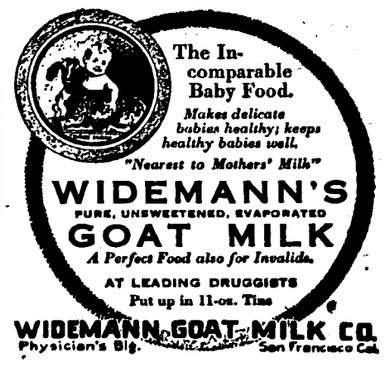

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News of the Valley

BALDWIN PARK.

Reception for Mr. and Mrs. William T. Noid

Mrs. Oscar Noid, assisted by her daughter, Miss Hilda Noid, gave a reception Saturday evening at her home on North Main avenue in honor of her son, William T. Noid and his young bride, who recently returned from a honeymoon spent at Catalina Island. About fifty friends attended and extended congratulations to the young couple. A delightful repast was served to the guests, the Misses Florence Schilling, Inez Hopkins, Jessie Grose and Minnie Munson assisting in the serving The house was decorated with pink and white crepe paper streamers and ferns and rose buds. Mr. Noid left Monday for Hemet where they will make their home. Mrs. Noid will follow him shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Berry of San Bernardino are the house-guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Berry this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nichols of Los Angeles were the guests over the week-end of Mrs. Greever. Mrs. Nichols, who before her marriage was Miss May Hall, formerly resided in Baldwin Park.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Treadway were the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McGavren, and a brother from Anaheim.

Miss Alma Stoltz spent a few days at Mt. Lowe this week as a guest of friends.

Robert Schilling is spending several days this week in Los Angeles as the guest of his sister, Mrs. Louis Nash.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Power of Coalinga, and daughter, Florence, who were former residents of this place, are visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Baldwin Park people who picnicked in Fish canyon Labor Day were Mrs. H. J. Schilling and son and daughter, Robert and Florence, Mrs. H. Grose and two daughters, Jessie and Margery, Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Woodworth, Inez Hopkins, Florence Songer, Lorenna Light, Joe Hopkins and Earl Hall.

A party of about thirty young people called on Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Woodworth at their home on San Bernardino Road Tuesday evening and entertained them with a chivarari. Mr. and Mrs. Woodworth served refreshments of cake, candy, punch and wafers to the party.

Earl Hall, who has been employed by Dr. Fox as soda-fountain clerk during the summer, left Saturday for Puente where his father is employed in the Puente Meat Market. Earl will attend Puente High School during the coming school term.

Few Changes in School Faculty

The grammar school opens next Tuesday morning, September 11th. There have been a few changes in the faculty: Mrs. Heath, principal, will teach the first grade, Miss Louise Norton of West Covina has charge of the second grade, Miss Griffen of Valley View will fill Miss Faith Hemphill's place, Miss Newhouse will have the fifth and sixth grades as she did last term, Miss Kempson will teach the seventh and eighth grades again. The assistant teacher is Miss Kathleen Edwards of Alhambra.

Carl Stolz, one of the enlisted men at San Diego, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stoltz, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lambdin and two children, who have been living on Palm avenue for the last year have moved down to the Frazier Ranch, where Mr. Lambdin holds a responsible position.

Epworth League Hold Country Fair

A country Fair, given under the auspices of the Baldwin Park Methodist Church Epworth League, took place last Friday evening at the home of the pastor, Rev. Earl Dexter, on north Main avenue. Booths for selling candy, popcorn and peanuts, watermelons, ice cream and a fish-pond were supervised by members of the league. One of the amusements of the evening was a doll baby show, little Clevia Grove's doll taking the first prize. Mr. Treadway, dressed as a Gypsy fortune teller afforded much enjoyment for the young people. A sketch entitled "The Crook" was given by Mrs. Jessie Groves and Miss Newhouse. The affair was a great success financially as well as socially.

Women's Club Give Dance

As the result of the dance given at the Baldwin Park Auditorium last Saturday evening, thirty dollars was added to the building fund of the Baldwin Park Women's Club. Twenty dollars of the amount was door receipts, half of the remaining ten being donated by S. M. Walker and half by the Frog Club. The affair was in the form of a jitney dance, five cents being the charge for each dance. The committee in charge, Mrs. Jessie Groves and Mrs. W. F. Hall, is to be complimented on the success of the affair. After the dance refreshments of ice cream, cake and coffee were served on the roof garden.

Baldwin Park Hopes to Have Street Lights Soon

The Baldwin Park Chamber of Commerce held a big "get-together" meeting at the Civic League and Banquet rooms of the school house on Tuesday evening. The most important matter taken up at the regular business meeting, was the subject of forming a "lighting district," thereby securing a system of street lights for Baldwin Park. Messrs. Watson and Scott of the Edison Electric Company were present by special invitation and explained the necessary steps to be taken, probable cost, etc., and as our Chamber of Commerce has the record of accomplishing the things its starts to do, Baldwin Park will perhaps soon have street lights. After the business meeting, a bountiful Dutch (not German) lunch was served, followed by a smoker. President Townsend made a very interesting speech, followed by short speeches from a number of other men present. Eighteen new members were secured.

Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Murphy were Mr. and Mrs. George McAnany of Los Angeles and Mr. and Mrs. Claude H. Van Antwerp of Baldwin Park.

Mr. and Mrs. George Henigan and family have returned from Long Beach after spending two weeks at that place.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Schilling were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stephens of Los Angeles.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Heitzman returned Saturday evening from a two-weeks' vacation spent in Los Angeles and Long Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Elden Gillian of Los Angeles were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Gillian.

Mrs. C. E. Dancer of Los Angeles spent the week-end in Baldwin Park.

Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Fox have resumed their duties in the drug store after a short vacation spent in the northern part of the state.

Miss Margaret Engel of Los Angeles visited her parents Friday and Saturday of last week.

Mrs. George Carson was quite ill the first of the week but is much improved.

Mrs. Earl Stewart has returned to her home in Los Angeles after spending the week with Miss Sarah Heath.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude H. Van Antwerp accompanied Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Brown of Irwindale on a hunting trip near Hemet last Saturday, where Mr. Brown has a large ranch. The gentlemen of the party both shot the limit of doves and report a fine trip.

Mrs. Mary Marsh and daughter, Mabel, who have been living in Los Angeles for the last few months, visited in Baldwin Park for a few days this week.

Mrs. H. J. Schilling and daughter, Florence, were shopping in Los Angeles Tuesday.

IRWINDALE.

Farewell Party for Mrs. F. E. Shirk

On Monday evening friends and neighbors gave a farewell party in honor of Mrs. F. E. Shirk, who left Tuesday evening for Kansas where she will visit her mother and sisters, who live near Topeka. About sixteen people gathered at her home and a most delightful evening was passed with conversation and games. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Baughman and two boys, Mrs. Clara Ayers and three daughters, Mrs. Blanche Clague and son, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Drendel and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Shirk.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Devendorf, who have been spending the last six weeks at the Cliff Hotel, San Francisco, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. De Forest Reichard and family of Los Angeles were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Reichard at their home on San Bernardino Road.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Kendall and family motored to Long Beach for the day Sunday.

Mr. F. P. Harris and daughter, Miss Ada, spent Tuesday in Los Angeles.

Miss Langdon accompanied Mr. and Mrs. John Durell of Azusa to Los Angeles Sunday where they attended the Millinial Dawn Convention now being held in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Drendell and baby spent one evening last week with Mr. and Mrs. Dripps at Azusa.

Joseph Kendall has accepted a position as teacher in the Riverside Grammar school and will take up his work there about the twenty-fourth of September.

House-guests for a few days this week of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McCadden were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russel of South Pasadena.

A week-end guest of Mrs. W. G. McCadden will be Miss Jessie Paramore of Los Angeles.

Charles Coffman returned this week from a hunting trip at Long Pine.

Mr. and Mrs. Wedgewood and Mr. and Mrs. L. Johnson spent Tuesday in Los Angeles.

House-guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. George Chemberlen were Mr. and Mrs. Riddlebarger of Banning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Coffman returned Sunday, after spending a vacation of three weeks at Redondo Beach.

WEST COVINA.

Kitchen Shower Pre-Nuptial Affair—

Mrs. Ray Allen of Baldwin Park and Mrs. Walter Sauder were the hostesses at a kitchen shower given last Friday afternoon at the Moses home on Puente avenue, in honor of Miss Vera Dancer who is to marry Carl Fisher of Irwindale on the twelfth of this month. Miss Dancer received a great many useful presents from her friends. The ladies spent a delightful afternoon with games and music, and later in the afternoon dainty refreshments of cake and punch were served. Those present were Mesdames Claude Graham, F. E. Shirk, Peck, Ridgley Stanton, Walter Sauder, Ray Allen, Alfred Sauder, Schaffer, Mark Hutchcroft, E. C. Nash, Lockwood, Corwin, Lyons, J. E. Van Wig, Gray, R. E. Dancer and O. W. Fisher, and the Misses Vera Dancer, Veda Dancer, Goldie Haddock, Elnora Stanton, Ethel McKeel and Gladys Hutchecroft.

Picnic Supper Served on Lawn

Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. D. Von der Lohe entertained a party of friends who had just returned from Camp Baldy, with a picnic supper on the lawn in front of their residence on Arroyo and Sunset streets. A delicious repast was served to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Trinkeller and son and daughter of Los Angeles, Miss Martha Tourney of Fresno, Miss Adah Nolte of Redondo and Mr. and Mrs. Puraitile and children, also of Redondo.

Paul Hungerford, who has been living in Imperial valley for several months, has returned to his home here as he found the climate too warm in the valley.

Mrs. Clara Ayers entertained her mother, Mrs. Heckman of Pasadena, during last week.

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J. A. Elston attended the Old Peoples Picnic at Sycamore Grove last Saturday. He had a lovely time and says he especially enjoyed the speeches made by people over ninety years old, but does not agree with Mr. Taft of Sawtelle, who is ninety-two years old, who says that he owes his many years to the non meat-eating habit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Seaman and family motored to Anaheim Sunday where they spent the day with Mr. Seaman's parents.

Mrs. Blanche Clague visited her sister, Miss Farrell, in Los Angeles Thursday.

W. S. Sawyer and Ray Coltrin returned home Saturday from a hunting trip in the high Sierras above Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Baughman and family have returned home after a week spent at Seal Beach. Mr. Baughman caught seventy-six mackerel on one trip, with a line and hook.

Mrs. B. F. Maxson and children, who with Ada Mayers and DeWitt Clague spent last week at Seal Beach, have returned to their home in West Covina.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Dorrington of Los Angeles have moved to the Lyle Glenn Ranch where they will make their home definitely. Mr. and Mrs. Darrington are intimate friends of the Seaman family and have made many friends on visits here.

Mrs. I. F. Reynolds and daughter, Della, and Miss Charlotte Ferrero were the week-end guests at Seal Beach of Mrs. C. W. Lofthouse who had been spending the week at that place.

A luncheon guest of Miss Della Reynolds on Wednesday was Miss Grace White of Happy Valley.

Labor Day guests at the home of Mrs. R. E. Dancer were a sister, Mrs. Blackley, of El Monte and a cousin, Mrs. Sam Cuddeback of Tehachepi.

House-guests last week of Mrs. F. P. Wilson were Mrs. Clara Rose and little daughter of San Fernando.

Mrs. F. J. Stimson is entertaining Roy Bishop, Lawrence Bunch and J. L. Albright of Los Angeles for the week. One of her small guests nearly came to serious grief Monday evening when, during Mrs. Stimson's absence, the boys decided to clean their caps with gasoline and after they had completed their work the little Albright boy struck a match and was instantly enveloped in a sheet of flame. Serious burning was averted by the thoughtfulness of the youngster, who ran to the fish pond in the yard and jumped in.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen A. Roberts were Mrs. Edward Skinner and daughter of Pasadena.

Mrs. Hampton of Los Angeles was the guest over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Larmer.

Mr. Herbert Grey has just returned from Little Rock Canyon near Lancaster where he has been hunting and brought home a fine large buck.

Ed Jackley is suffering from a broken arm.

Frank Jackley, a member of the 24th company of coast artillery stationed at San Pedro visited his parents Monday.

Monday Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dancer attended the funeral of the latter's aunt, Mrs. E. A. Honey, at Orange.

Miss Campbell of Whittier was a guest Tuesday of Mrs. I. M. Jackley.

Miss Thelma Ericson of Los Angeles was a guest Sunday and Monday of Mr. and Mrs. L. Johnson.

Mrs. S. W. Wittenbrock of Colorado is visiting friends in the valley this week.

Mrs. J. S. Alexander and daughter, Mildred, and Mrs. I. F. Reynolds and daughter, Della, spent Wednesday in Los Angeles.

CHARTER OAK.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sprague, Mrs. Traweek and Mrs. Charles Gannon were the guests of friends in Uplands Sunday.

A guest for a few days last week of Mrs. James G. Dickey was her sister, Mrs. M. E. Moore, of Arlington, California.

Mrs. C. H. Traweek and daughter, Helen, were the guests for a few days this week of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sprague.

Z. P. Olmstead left last week for his old home in Indiana. He will be gone indefinitely, visiting relatives and old friends in that state.

Mrs. S. A. Stowell, accompanied by her niece, Miss Abbie Holden, spent several days during the latter part of last week at Newport, where the Stowells have a cottage. Mr. and Mrs. Holden and children were their guests on Sunday.

Guests last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Shorey were the latter's mother, Mrs. Mary P. Gregg and an aunt, Mrs. E. C. Adams of the Salt River valley, Arizona, who are spending the summer at Long Beach. Mrs. Jim McIntosh, also of Arizona, was another guest. She is visiting friends here during the absence of her husband in France.

Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. George Sohn, who have been making a three months' visit in Illinois, are on their way home by way of the Northern Pacific.

Miss Mae Johnson, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Johnson, has returned to her home in Ontario.

CORPORAL COMAN WRITES OF AMERICAN LAKE

In a recent letter from Ellis S. Coman, second son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Coman, who has recently gone to Camp Lewis, American Lake, Washington, he wrote many details which will be of especial interest to the mothers and fathers of the Covina soldier boys, since they are all to be sent to this cantonment soon. American Lake is an immense natural park of 80,000 acres, more or less a pine forest, eleven miles from Tacoma, and fifty-two miles from Seattle.

The plan of the government is to have here four great training camps, with 70,000 men encamped. Already, there are 400 barracks, each sheltering a company of at least one hundred. Until this week, the Los Angeles Company B, Engineers, have been doing the necessary engineering work, but these men came south into California Tuesday, leaving the Oregon and Washington engineers to do the surveying, inspecting water lines, building and bridges, in preparation for the additional 30,000 men expected. The army and navy Y. M. C. A. will have a large headquarters in each of the four big camps, with books, magazines, papers, music and writing facilities.

Ellis Coman writes of the country as beautiful, with bright, clear days and cold nights. As the government allows but thirteen cents per meal per man, the need of some adequate mess fund, for occasional additions to an exceedingly-plain and monotonous fare, is easily seen. It is interesting to note that Covina ability is recognized, even in so large a camp, for the writer of the newsy letter has just been made a corporal.

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The peace proposed in the broadest sense is identically the same as that expressed in the peace resolut ns forced through the Reichstag by the Centrist or Conservative party, representing the Catholics of Germany, and the Socialists, led by Dr. Erzeburger. The move then, for peace, was due to pressure from Austria, just as, no doubt, the present peace proposals are, with the connivance of Germany.

Germany is being forced to her knees and sees in the masterly preparation of the Allies and the rapidly augmenting forces confronting her half starved and war worn troops, the spring for a knock-out blow. The German troops have given ground on the west front for weeks, under pressure of the staggering blows delivered by the Allies, which have turned the tables on Germany in man power and preponderance of artillery and aeroplanes, the eyes of the army.

The Russian army is stiffening its resistance on the east front with prospects good that it will soon become a cohesive force sufficiently powerful to drive the Germans back across the border and put their backs to the wall, as the Allies are now doing on the west front.

To end the war on the status quanto with no indemnity and no annexation, would shield Germany from the penalty of the horrible atrocities and fiendish crimes committed on the non-combatants unfortunate enough to fall in their savage hands, and worst of all ,leave her stronger than she was before the war broke out, with Austria, Turkey and Bulgaria in her grip. Then the dread of another war would hang over the world like a nightmare with this powerful nation free to do as she pleased. Never again would it be possible to muster and consolidate and array so many powerful nations against Germany, and Germany knows that quite as well as anybody else. It will not cost a hundredth part to finish the job, horrible as it is, with Germany on her last legs, as it would to fight it all over again, even though by some providential interposition Germany should be defeated ultimately.

With all due deference to His Holiness, we have no faith in a peace pact with partial disarmament and an international police force. This for the reason that the word of Germany, either written or oral, has proven to be good for nothing over and over again. To her a treaty is nothing more than a scrap of paper.

We want to see the nations of the world welded together in amity and unity with a court of arbitration, after this dreadful war is over, but with Germany excluded as not to be trusted, or too insignificant after being compelled to disgorge her stolen territory, to be considered.

The German propagandist, with the aid of paid editorials and the subsidized press, supported by the . W. W.'s and the spineless pacifist, more German than American, will move heaven and earth by every artifice and device known to save Germany from final defeat and the day of reckoning which awaits her, by a frantic endeavor to bring about a drawn war on lines suggested by the resolutions passed by the Reichstg and later presented as a peace proposal by the Pope, knowing full well that Germany will come out of the war stronger than ever, only to openly boast of her great victory over her enemies and bide her time for taking up arms again to finish the task of reducing the nations of the world to subjugation.—Glendora Gleaner.

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UNION SERVICES

Union services will be held in the high school auditorium in recognition of the opening of the schools. Dr. Silas Evans, president of the Occidental College, will be the speaker. Special music by the Utter quartette.

Methodist Church: Rev. S. J. McConnell, pastor. College street near Citrus avenue. Sunday-school, 9:45; Citrus avenue. Sunday-school, 9:45, R. T. Chew, superintendent; morning sermon, 11; Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m.; mid-week service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Subject of morning sermon by the pastor, "Worship God." Union services in the evening will be held in the high school auditorium. Sermon by Dr. Silas Evans, president of Occidental College. Evening services will begin at 7:30. Prayer meeting next week in the respective churches. All Methodist services to be held hereafter in the church. All are welcome.

Church of the Sacred Heart (Catholic): Father M. H. Geary, priest. Church at Fifth and Center streets. Mass at 8 a.m.

Church of the Brethren: George F. Chemberlen, elder in charge. Third and Puente streets. Sunday-school, 10 a.m.; morning sermon, 11 a.m.; Christian Workers' meeting, 6:45; evening sermon, 7:30 p.m.; mid-week services on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Evangelical Lutheran St. John's Church: Rev. H. O. Michel, pastor. Church Third and Dexter streets. Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m.; morning sermon, 10:30; Wednesday evening service 7:30.

The congregation will celebrate its annual Mission-festival Sunday at the church. The morning service beginning at 10:30 will be conducted by Rev. W. Lankow from San Bernardino. In the afternon at 2:30, Theo. Hoensa, from Whittier, will preach in the English language. Luncheon will be served at the home of the pastor, 250 W. Center street. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Baptist Church: Rev. W. W. Catherwood, pastor. Second street near College. Sunday-school, 9:45 a.m.; morning sermon, 11; Junior B.Y.P.U., 3:00 p.m.; Senior B.Y.P.U., 6:45 p.m.; evening sermon, 7:45 p.m.; mid-week services, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

11 a. m. services—preaching by pastor; subject, "In Christ." Communion of the Lord's Supper and special music by the mixed quartet. Union evening service at Presbyterian church.

Presbyterian Church: Rev. Chauncey A. Foreman, pastor. Italia and Second streets. Sunday-school, 9:45 a.m.; Chas. A. Hale, superintendent; morning sermon, 11 a.m.; Junior C. E., 4 p.m.; C. E. Society, 6:30; evening service, 7:30; mid-week service, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Morning worship at 11:00. Sermon theme, "Paying the Price." Evening worship at 7:45 in the high school. Community service in recognition of the opening of the school year. Dr. Silas Evans, president of Occidental College, will be the speaker.

First Church of Christ, Scientist: Woman's Club House, Center street and Citrus avenue. Sunday-school, 9:45; morning service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday evening testimonial meeting, 8. Reading-room, 132 West Badillo street, open Tuesdays and Fridays only from 2 to 4:30.

Christian Church: J. W. Utter, pastor. Park street and San Bernardino road. Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.; Tom Johnson, superintendent; morning sermon, 11 a. m.; C. E., 6:30 p. m.; evening sermon, 7:30; mid-week services, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Rev. G. M. Anderson will preach at the Sunday morning service. Union service in the evening.

Church of the Holy Trinity: Rev. Charles T. Murphy, rector. Church at Third and Badillo streets. Holy Communion, 7:30 a.m., second and fourth Sundays of month. Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m. Morning service and sermon, 11.

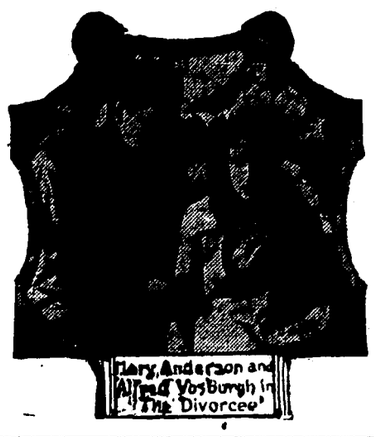
Miss Dorothy Trench, a niece of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Evans, who made her home with them and taught in the San Dimas school a part of last year has been assigned to the 28th street grammar school in Los Angeles for the coming year.

House-guests this week of Mrs. E. G. Prather are Mrs. Macoy and Mrs. Ethel Clizbe and children from Los Angeles.

Clyde King, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. King of San Bernardino road, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents. Young King is a member of the coast defense corps of the navy and is stationed at San Pedro.

"FATAL RING" BEGINS AT STAR THEATER

The Star theater management is announcing a radical change in the picture program, beginning this coming week. Pearl White appears in the first episode of "The Fatal Ring" on Monday night; George Beban will be seen Tuesday night in a humorously-sentimental comedy-drama, "The Cook of Canyon Camp;" Vitagraph pictures will take the place of Fox films on Wednes-



day night, beginning with "The Divorcee;" Gail Kane and Carl Blackwell will appear Thursday night in "On Dangerous Ground;" Friday night Viola Dana will appear in "Lady Barnacle;" Saturday afternoon and evening, Jack Pickford and Louise Huff will appear in "What Money Cant Buy," supported by Theodore Roberts.

The public is asked to remember that there will be no more Fox pictures, but that they are to be replaced by the western dramas of the old and famous Vitagraph company.

THE ENGLISH WALNUT—OUR TREE OF THE FUTURE

(Editorial—Los Angeles Examiner)

Last winter practically every walnut tree of approved varieties in the nurseries of Southern California was sold and planted. This year, nearly twice as many trees have been propagated, and indications are that every good tree will be sold and planted.

Thus, without any of the booming or "boosting" of which this part of the country is so often and so unjustly accused, a great industry is on the way to being quadrupled in size. Twenty-five years from now—what a wonderful country this will be. This walnut development is only one—one of many great investments in the future which are now going forward here in Southern California.

Millions of dollars will flow into the pockets of the owners of the bearing walnut groves within 50 miles of Los Angeles, this year. The hot spell of early summer found the trees with an unusually heavy load of nuts. It seared and singed those on the outer branches, but it now appears that enough remain to make a good crop—and the price seems sure to rule high.

The walnut industry, like the orange, the lemon, the apricot and the avocado, is only in its infancy. The fifty years of walnut growing in this State was only the experimental stage. More progress in actual knowledge of the walnut, how to grow it, what kind of plant, what soils, what conditions, what root stocks, has been made in the last ten years than in all the time since the first trees were brought from Persia into Spain. People are just beginning to use walnuts, to make them a regular article of food. With an increasing supply, there has been an increase in prices. More walnuts are needed.

By the devolpment of special varieties, walnut growing has been made suitable for all parts of Southern California, wherever there is good soil, with perfect underdrainage. It used to be thought that the trees would grow only in the coastal plain, under sea breezes. Now the interior valleys have proved that the right kind of trees will do as well there as the usual kind has done along the coast.

A full grown walnut grove is an ornament to the landscape. Its shade is just about perfect; hardly a ray of sunlight reaches through to the ground. The effect upon the atmosphere is likely to be the same as that of dense forest—a cooling of the air. In the San Fernando Valley, up to the present time, nearly 7000 acres of walnuts have been planted. The area seems likely to be doubled this coming year. The presence of these great bodies of wooded lands can hardly fail to affect the general climatic condition of the interior valleys. They cool the soil, they absorb—instead of reflecting—the burning rays of the sun. The loose light soil among the walnut trees absorbs and holds excessive winter rains, and so lessens the run-off of flood.

Twenty-five years from now, when these new walnut groves are full grown and bearing, they will actually make Southern California a better place in which to live. And it is a pretty good place now.

Frank Snodgrass with F. A. Bonter has just returned from a hunting trip near Cajon Pass. The men state that there were plenty of deer but that they kept very close in the reserve and they were unable to get a shot at a buck. On a former trip to the King's River district Mr. Snodgrass brought down a good-sized buck on the first day out.

LOCAL NEWS.

Rev. J. W. Utter, who recently accepted a call to the pastorate of the First Christian church of this place, with his family, is now located in the residence formerly occupied by the Rev. G. W. Thompson at the corner of Second and Italia streets.

Z. B. Ames left Wednesday for Tennessee, called there by the illness of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hodges, who have been visiting relatives in Covina and other towns of the valley, have returned to their home in Holtville where Mr. Hodges occupies the position of principle for the Holtville Grammar School.

Picnickers in Fish Canyon Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Haynes, Miss Cora Davis, Mr. Eric Anderson and Miss Eva Spaulding of Riverside.

Luncheon guests Thursday of Mrs. Louis Harris were her mother, Mrs. T. L. Gooch and a niece, Miss Ruth Con-

Miss Helen Jackson and Miss Julia Hornbeck have returned from two weeks vacation at Catalina and Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fabrick returned Wednesday from their honeymoon trip to San Francisco and will be at home on east Badillo street.

Rev. G. M. Anderson, who will preach at the morning service at the Christian church, is the guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Stafford.

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Miss Clare Sanborn, chairman of the local branch of the American Red Cross, wishes to publicly acknowledge the 9.13 turned in this week from a collection taken in the Christian church Sunday-school.

Mrs. Pierre Letchworth is entertaining this evening with a fancy dress ball at Penjerrick Ranch. The proceeds of the affair are to be given the local branch of the American Red Cross.

Glen Leisure, son of Mrs. Alice Leisure of Los Angeles and a dentist of that city, enjoyed a short vacation in Covina with Irven Reynolds this week. During his stay the young men went on a hunting expedition, returning home with the limit of doves.

Mrs. Phoebe Ara White, who with Mr. White and little daughter, Franchia, has been visiting friends and relatives in Minnesota and Iowa, returned to her home on Lark Ellen street the first of the week. Mr. White made a business trip to the Atlantic coast and will not return until several weeks later. Upon her arrival home Mrs. White received word that a sister, Mrs. A. F. Harris, whom she had visited during her absence, had passed away.

Miss Ruth Arthur, daughter, of Mrs. Della Arthur of west Badillo street, left Thursday afternoon for Tombstone, Arizona, where she has accepted a position and will teach the primary grades of the Tombstone grammar school, during the coming year.

Miss Allie Bohannan was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harris at San Bernardino last week-end.

Luncheon guests of Mrs. Frank Berman Wednesday were Mrs. Zahn and daughter, Miss Esther Zahn of Los Angeles.

Labor Day Mrs. M. E. Bohannan, accompanied by her family, motored to Urbita Springs, San Bernardino.

Mrs. William Warren left this week for New York where she will spend some weeks visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harris of San Bernardino are spending the week with the latter's mother, Mrs. M. E. Bohannan, at her home on Bonita avenue.

Mrs. J. W. Beardsley, assisted by her sister, Mrs. J. E. Castello of Glendora, entertained Thursday afternoon a party of little girls in honor of the seventh birthday of her little daughter, Fannie Mae. A program of games entertained the children and they were served with dainty refreshments. The guests included Phoebe Harolson, Francha White, Carlotta Easton, Maria Tillman, Marian Brouse, Eleanore Kellar, Helen Garden of Alhambra, and Ruth Castello of Glendora.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schaich spent last Sunday in Los Angeles with friends

The ladies of the Christian church met Thursday in the church for an all day session. The usual business of the annual meeting was dispensed with in the morning and a luncheon was served at noon. In the afternoon there were excellent talks by Miss Elvira Utter and the new pastor, J. W. Utter. Musical selections intersperced the program.

Mrs. C. B. Lewis, wife of Captain Lewis, is a guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. John Hately.

POTATO STORAGE

The primary puropses of storage are to protect the tubers from extremes of heat and cold and from light. Account also must be taken of conditions of humidity and ventilation and of the size of the storage pile.

The temperature should be the highest at which potatoes can be maintained firm and ungerminated, and which will at the same time hold fungus diseases in check. Experiments of the United States Department of Agriculture with artificially refrigerated storage indicate that 36 degrees Fahrenheit is sufficiently low for all practical purposes and that in the earlier portion of the storage season a temperature of 40 degrees Fahrenheit is just as satisfactory as a lower one except where powdery dry rot infection occurs.

All natural light should be excluded from potato storage houses, because when the tubers are exposed to even modified light they are soon injured for food purposes. A practical rule in regard to humidity is to maintain sufficient moisture in the air to prevent the wilting of the tubers and at the same time to keep the humidity content low enough to prevent the deposit of moisture on the surface of the tubers.

If potatoes are piled in too large piles they may become overheated and deteriorate. Six feet is a good maximum depth to which to pile tubers in bins, and the area covered by each pile also should be limited. A good plan is to insert ventilated division walls at intervals through the pile or bin. These may be made by nailing relatively narrow boards on both sides of 2 by 4 uprights, 1-inch spaces being left between the boards. General ventilation for the whole storage house usually is accomplished through ventilating shafts in the roof.

METHODS OF STORAGE

The possible ways to store potatoes are pits, or earth-covered piles, dug-out pits or potato storage cellars, insullated wooden structures, substantial masonry or concrete houses, and artificially refrigerated storage houses. The latter two methods are the most expensive. Pitting is the most primitive method of storage, but if properly done on well-drained locations is satisfactory insofar as the preservation of the potatoes is concerned.

STORAGE CELLARS

The dugout pit or potato storage cellar is probably more widely used than any other type of storage space. Fitted with water-tight roof it is especially popular in the central portions of the United States. In the arid and semiarid sections a type with sod or dirt roof is in most general use. As a rule, the excavation for the cheaper structures of the dugout pit or cellar type when erected on level or nearly level land does not exceed three feet. The soil removed from such an excavation, particularly if the dugout is of any considerable size, is ample for banking the side and end walls and also for the roof. The cost of construction may be greatly modified, according to the character of the location.

In the cheaper dugouts, where the soil is of such a nature as to remain intact it is allowed to form the side and end walls, the roof being supported on plates resting on the soil and held together by boards or joists. This form of construction involves a deeper excavation and a constant element of risk from a cave-in. In the more expensive and substantial structures the side and end walls are built of concrete.—Bulletin 847, U. S. D. A.

Mrs. Charles Ross and children, accompanied by Mrs. Clutterbuck, spent Sunday in Pomona with Mrs. Joe Gill

Luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reed on Labor Day were the latter's mother, Mrs. William Waterhouse and daughter, Miss Mellicent, of Pasadena, and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Waterhouse and children.

The pupils of Mrs. Phoebe Ara White are entertaining with a reception in her honor at Blanchard Hall this afternoon (Friday).

ASSESSMENT NOTICE

Covina Irrigating Company, principal place of business, Covina, Covina Township, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Notice is hereby given, that at a meeting of the directors, held on the fifth day of September, 1917, an assessment (No. 75) of 100 cents per share was levied upon the capital stock (as increased October 22nd, 1886) of the above named corporation, payable immediately to the secretary at the office of the company at Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid upon the 8th day of October, 1917, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 30th day of October, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the company in Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expense of sale.

B. F. EDWARDS, Secretary.

Covina, Cal., September 5th, 1917.